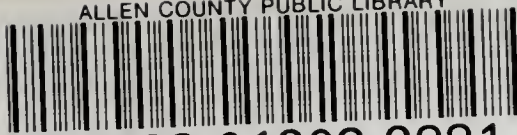


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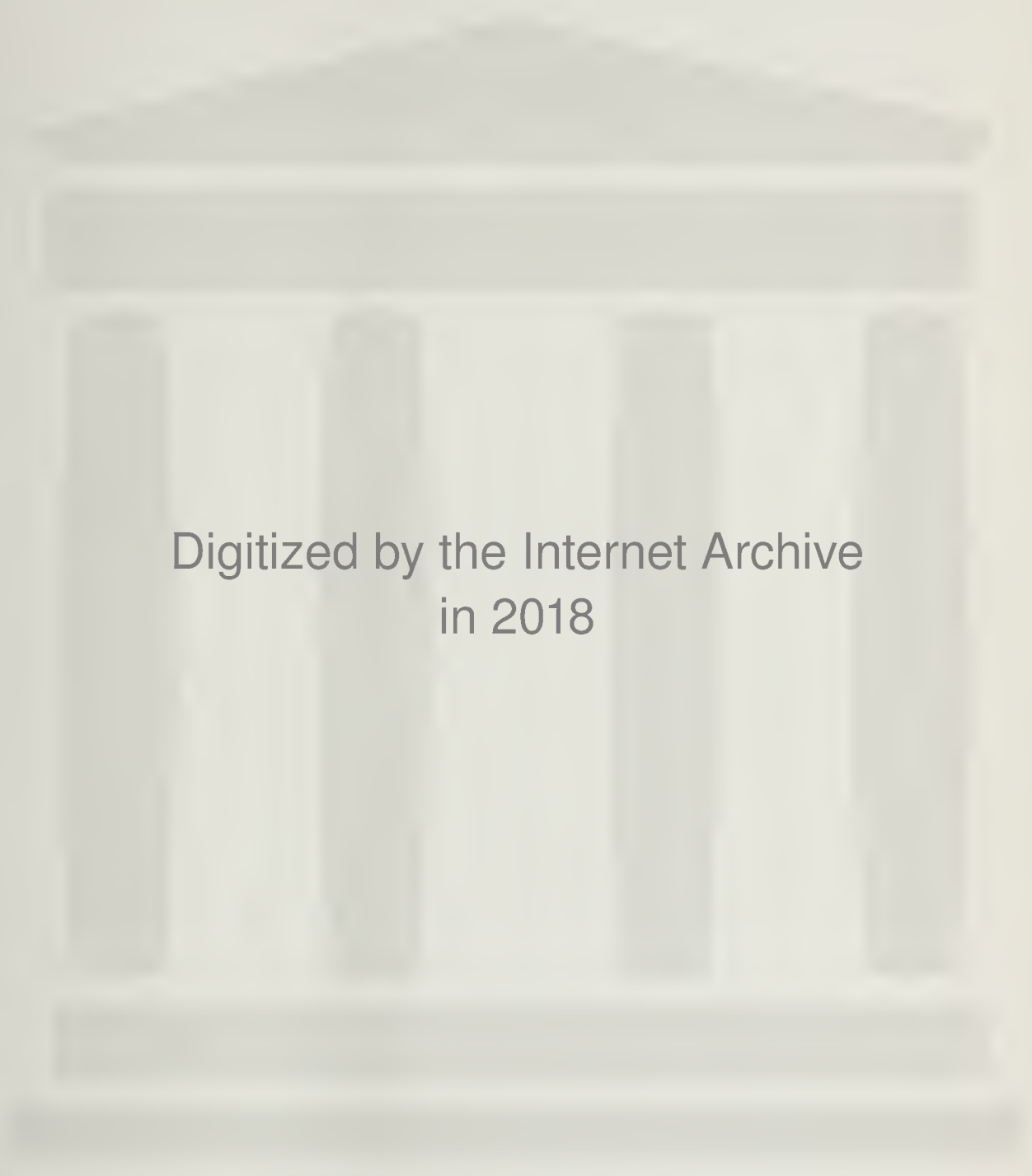
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FOREWORD

Some years ago there came into the compiler's hands some bundles of letters containing family data which had been the property of the late S. Frank Balcom, of Indianapolis, Indiana. From these letters he had, over many years, doubtless collected a large amount of information about the BALCOMBE family. Whether he had ever progressed in his searches to the point of any complete arrangement, the compiler of this history of the family does not know.

From this collection of letters containing tradition and recollection, and but little of what might be accepted as evidence, the compiler began a search for records and proof which could, in time, result in a family genealogy. The major part of his time from other than the necessary duties of a rather active life, have been devoted for more than fifteen years to this task, with much assistance from a devoted wife.

While persons bearing the family name may not, at first, seem very numerous, records indicate a rather large family. To reconstruct and group the thousands of members has been a sizable task. Three well defined families appear, as well as some "strays."

No attempt has been made in this volume to indicate the source or birth of the three ancestors, nor to conjecture their relationship, if any, to each other. Neither has any attempt here been made to carry the lines beyond the beginning of the nineteenth century, except to complete a generation.

There is also no attempt to include any complete biographical notes of various members of the family, nor to include excerpts from legal papers such as deeds or wills. Military service is indicated to such an extent that from the data here included a full history of the individual can be secured from the usual sources and archives.

To completely and adequately recount the history of the family a separate volume for each of these ancestors would be required, and before any such sizable undertaking begins there should first be prepared a volume which would subject records as now known to correction and comparison by the members of the family at large. That is one of the purposes of the present volume.

Another purpose of this volume is to place in permanent form at this time the existing data, before, perhaps, such form of preservation is impossible.

A few words relative to the arrangement may be in order. The standard arrangement followed by the New England Historic Genealogical Society in its Register has been used. Each succeeding generation has been indicated by a number, indicated by a superior figure, or exponent, while those members with known descendants are preceded by a number, under which his family may be found. No attempt is here made to trace female or daughter's lines, nor as mentioned above, to carry on beyond the beginning of the nineteenth century.

The often repeated remark that the right to a particular spelling of one's name was as personal as the style of one's dress, is well illustrated by the variety of spellings of the family name by the various branches and divisions of the family. The spellings here given are not explained or justified, but are used consistently throughout this volume, despite the fact that many of the descendants themselves use another widely different spelling. More than thirty spellings of the name appear in the various records.

It is the hope and expectation of the compiler that information and data which will correct, supplement or complete the records here will be communicated to him in order that he may assemble as complete data upon the family as possible. Information is particularly requested upon the persons listed in the section headed, "Unassigned Balcoms."

The gratitude of the compiler is extended to countless persons who have made records available to him, to many in charge of records and vital statistics, probate records, and especially to the encouragement of his own family. Most special credit is due to his wife, Edythe B. Balcomb, for her aid and encouragement, as well as for the preparation of the complete and exhaustive index.

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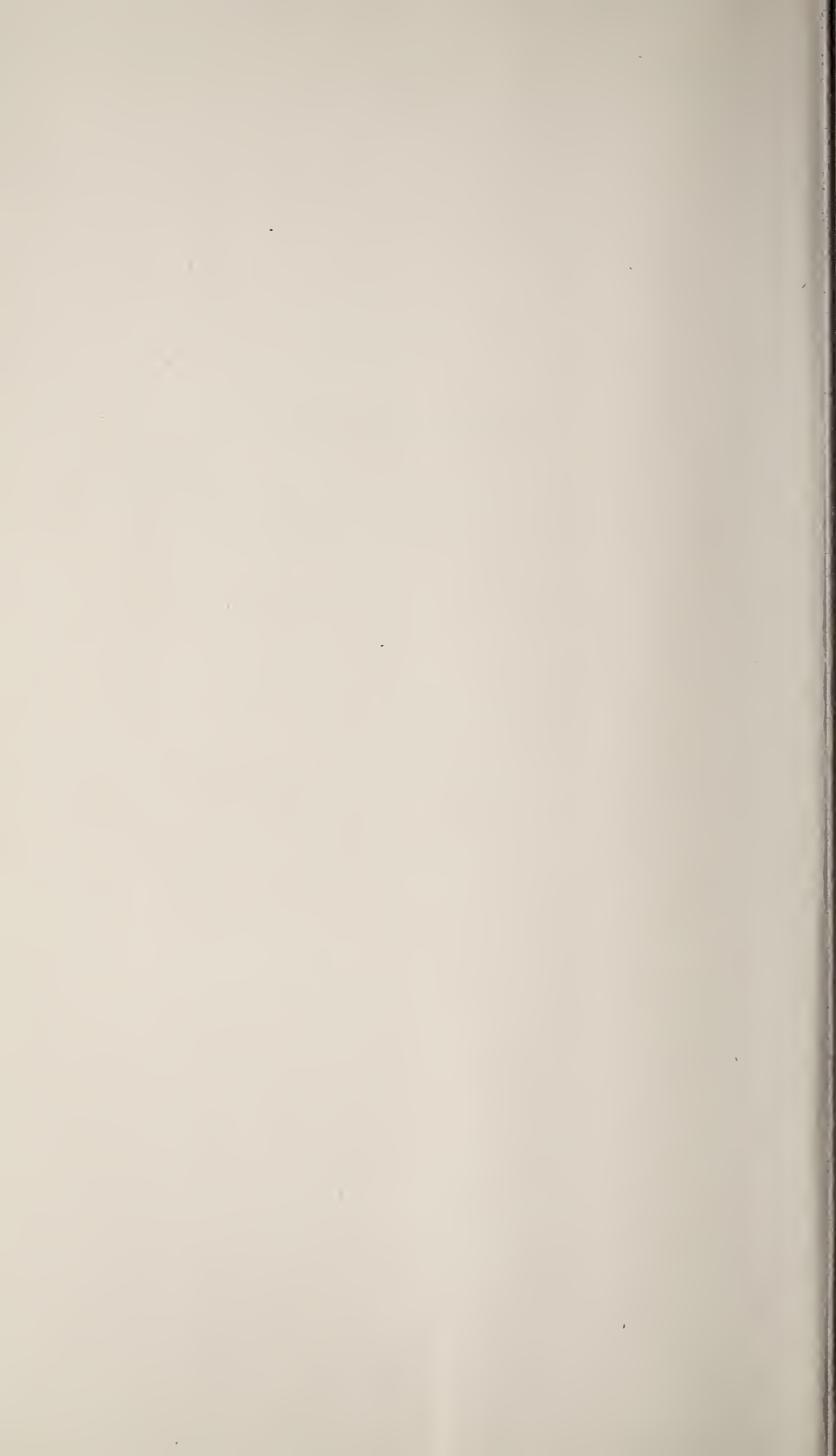
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HENRY BALCOMBE
AND HIS DESCENDANTS



HENRY BALCOMBE
AND HIS DESCENDANTS

1. HENRY¹ BALCOMBE, blacksmith, was born about 1640, probably in England, died at Charlestown, Mass.,* 29 Apr. 1683. He married, first SARAH (SMITH?); and secondly, 12 Aug. 1666, ELIZABETH³ HAYNES, born at Sudbury, 19 July 1644, died there 20 Nov. 1715, daughter of Deacon John² (*Walter*¹) and Dorothy (Noyes) Haynes.

He was admitted an inhabitant of Charlestown, 1 Sept. 1665.

He was a Constable at Charlestown in 1665, and his signature may be found on a return of Jurors dated 17 Aug. 1665 in the files of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts. (*File No. 1396*)

He bought land of Walter Allen, 20 June 1669, at Charlestown, bounded, "NE Street to ferry; SE W. Allen; SW Thomas Lynde's Great Field; NW James Casey." This tract of land was approximately one-half acre in area. The intersection of streets at the northeastern boundary form what is known as City Square. One part of this tract was sold by heirs of Henry in 1709, and another part in 1723.

*Unless otherwise stated, places are in Massachusetts.

The inventory of his estate which is on file at the Middlesex Registry of Probate at Cambridge records an estate valued at £354:19:0.

The Haynes family settled on a grant of land called "Quinisigmond" after arrival on the "Confidence" 9 Apr. 1638. Deacon John Haynes granted one hundred acres of land included in this tract to Henry Balcombe 5 Sept. 1672.

After the death of her husband, Elizabeth returned to Sudbury with her children. In 1694 and at other times she purchased more land which when added to the original one hundred acre tract totaled nearly one square mile.

Child by first wife, born at Charlestown:

- i. SARAH², b. probably, 8 Dec. 1665; d. 8 Dec. 1665.

Children by second wife, born at Charlestown:

- ii. HANNAH, b. 16 Mar. 1668; d. 21 Apr. 1668.
- iii. JOHN, b. 15 Oct. 1669, d. unm. at Sudbury, 24 Aug. 1743.
His gravestone bears the designation, "Lieut" He was active in town affairs and served as schoolmaster at various times.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. 16 Aug. 1672; d. in 1752; m. GERSHOM RICE, b. at Marlborough, 9 May 1667, d. 19 Dec. 1768, son of Thomas and Mary (King) Rice.
- 2 v. JOSEPH, b. 17 Dec. 1664.

2. JOSEPH² BALCOM (*Henry*¹), born at Charlestown, 17 Dec. 1674, died at Sudbury, 17 Sept. 1745. He married, as her first husband, at Marlborough, 28 June 1711, TABITHA³ NEWTON, born there, 18 Oct. 1681, died in 1770, daughter of Joseph² (*Richard*¹) and Katherine (Wood) Newton. She married, secondly, 10 July 1746, Timothy Mossman.

With his brother John, he was one of the petitioners to divide the town of Sudbury into two precincts, 15

Jan. 1706-7.

His will bears the date 10 Sept. 1744, and recites that his son Joseph is deceased. This fixes the date of his death as after that of his son although both estates were probated in the same year.

Children, born at Sudbury:

3. i. JOSEPH³, b. 13 Jan. 1712.
4. ii. JOHN, b. 13 Mar. 1715.
- iii. ELIZABETH, b. 17 May 1717; m. 10 July 1741, JAMES MOSSMAN.
- iv. MARY, b. 10 Oct. 1719; m. at Marlborough, 3 Jan. 1743, as his second wife, EPHRIAM MAYNARD, son of Simon and Hannah (Newton) Maynard.
- v. SIBELAH, b. 26 July 1721; m. 6 Oct. 1748, SAMUEL WILLIS.
5. vi. MICAH b. 4 Mar. 1723.

3. JOSEPH³ BALCOM (*Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in the French and Indian War, born at Sudbury, 13 Jan. 1712, died prior to 10 Sept. 1745. He married, at Sudbury, 21 Feb. 1733, DEBORAH BOICE.

A. S. Hudson in the "Annals of Sudbury" states that he died of small-pox contracted during military service and that one child died from it as well as his father.

Children born at Sudbury:

6. i. SAMUEL⁴, b. 16 June 1734.
7. ii. JONAS, b. 7 Aug. 1785.
8. iii. SILAS, b. in Mar. 1738.
9. iv. HENRY, b. 16 Aug. 1740. ✓
- v. TABITHA, b. in July 1742; m. (1) THADDEUS MAYNARD (?); and m. (2) in 1778, EBENEZER RICE. She is designated, the "mysterious Tabitha" as proof of her first marriage has not yet been found, although it persists in family tradition.
10. vi. ISAAC, b. in July 1744.
- vii. ———, (son), b. in June 1745; d. in 1745.

4. JOHN³ BALCOM (*Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in the French and Indian War, born at Sudbury, 13 Mar. 1715, died there in 1789. He married, at Sudbury, 23 Aug. 1727, SUSANNA⁵ HAYNES, born there 8 July 1717, daughter of James⁴ (*James³, Deacon John², Walter¹*) and Sarah (Woodward) Haynes.

Children born at Sudbury:

- 11. i. JAMES⁴ b. 14 Feb. 1738.
- 12. ii. ASAHIEL, b. 5 June 1741.
- 13. iii. DANIEL, b. 13 Dec. 1743.
 - iv. SUSANNA b. 5 Sept. 1746, m. 10 May 1789, ITHAMAR RICE.
 - v. MARY, b. 6 May 1748; m. 5 July 1770, DANIEL PUFFER, b. 2 Jan. 1745, d. 13 Mar. 1829, son of Jabez and Hannah (Tredway) Puffer.
 - vi. LUCY, b. about 1750; m. 20 Aug. 1772, WILLIAM MAYNARD.
- 14. vii. JOSEPH, b. 6 Apr. 1752.
- 15. viii. JOHN, b. 6 Apr. 1756.
 - ix. ANNA, b. about 1760; m. at Stow, 20 Sept. 1781, ISAAC RICH
 - x. SARAH, b. 23 May 1762; m. 26 Apr. 1781, NATHAN (IEL) LINFIELD.

5. MICAH³ BALCOM (*Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 4 Mar. 1723-4, accidentally killed while moving a house in 1754. He married, first, ELIZABETH MAYNARD, born 2 Jan. 1726, died in 1746, daughter of Joseph and Miriam (Willard) Maynard; and secondly, as her first husband, at Sudbury, 25 Aug. 1747, THANKFUL SMITH. Probate records record her as his widow in 1754. She married secondly, at Concord, 7 Apr. 1755, Josiah Heywood.

Children by first wife, born at Sudbury:

- 16. i. MICAH⁴, b. 16 Jan. 1745.
- ii. SALLY, b. about 1746; d. 23 Mar. 1803.

Children by second wife, born at Sudbury:

- iii. RUTH, b. 21 Dec. 1748; m. 31 Dec. 1767, her first cousin,

JAMES BALCOM. (*see number 11, below*)

- iv. THANKFUL, b. 7 June 1751; m. at Stow 25 Feb. 1794, JOHN HAYWOOD.
- v. EUNICE, b. 7 Aug. 1763; m. 24 Feb. 1779, as his second wife, ITHAMAR RICE.

(end of third generation)

- 6. SAMUEL⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in Col. Elisha Jones' Regiment in 1758, born at Sudbury, 16 June 1734, died prior to 8 Aug. 1800, the date upon which the inventory of his estate was filed. He married, at Sudbury, 14 Jan. 1761, MARY BRIGHAM, born there, 25 Sept. 1741, daughter of Samuel and Mary Brigham.

The graves of Samuel and his wife were probably in the old cemetery at Paradise, Nova Scotia, and were removed and not marked when the railroad line was constructed across one corner of the cemetery.

Shortly after his marriage he settled in Nova Scotia probably with his brother, Silas, as both are recorded there in the Census of 1790. They were later joined by another brother, Isaac, and possibly by their sister, Tabitha.

He sold his holdings of land in Annapolis County about 1783, at the arrival of the Loyalists, and settled at Wilmont, Nova Scotia.

Children, born at Paradise, Nova Scotia:

- i. SARAH⁵, b. in 1762; d. in 1824, m. GEORGE STARRETT.
- ii. LYDIA, b. in 1764 or 1766; m. in 1789, ABIJAH PARKER, b. 11 Dec. 1766, son of Abijah and Miriam (Ricketson) Parker.
- 17. iii. HENRY, b. in 1768.
- 18. iv. JONAS, b. in 1770.
- 19. v. REUBEN, b. in 1772.
- 20. vi. JOSEPH BRIGHAM, b. in 1774.
- vii. ABEL, (ASA) b. in 1778; d. unm. He received a bounty for clearing land at Clements, N. S. in 1805. He was granted,

with others, 360 acres of Crown Land in 1817, located at the head of St. Margaret's Bay, N. S.

- viii. LUCY, b. in 1780; m. in 1803; ABEDNEGRO PARKER, b. 17 Apr 1780, son of Abijah and Miriam (Ricketson) Parker.
- ix. PHEBE, b. in 1782; d. in 1861; m. in 1803, JOHN McCORMICK, son of Samuel and Mary (Blair) McCormick.

7. JONAS⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in Capt. Josiah Richardson's company of Col. Josiah Brockington's regiment and also in the list of the 2ND Foot company at Sudbury, dated 25 Apr. 1757, born at Sudbury, 7 Aug. 1735, died there, 13 Sept. 1810. He married, at Sudbury, 20 Dec. 1757, GRACE HOLDEN, born in 1728, died, 9 Apr. 1804.

Children, born at Sudbury:

- 21. i. MICAH⁵ b. 30 July 1758.
- ii. JONAS b. in Sept. 1759; d. in infancy.
- 22. iii. JOEL b. in Sept. 1764(?).
- iv. DORCAS, b. in 1765(?); d. in 1783; m. 22 Sept. 1785, JOSEPH WILLIS.

8. SILAS⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in Capt. Richardson's company in 1754, born at Sudbury, in Mar. 1738, died in Nova Scotia. He married SUSAN ——— (RACHEL SMITH?).

After his military service he settled in Nova Scotia and is recorded as a resident of Annapolis County in 1767.

Children, born in Annapolis County, Nova Scotia:

- 23. i. SILAS⁵, b. about 1761.
- ii. RACHEL m. BENJAMIN HARRIS, b. about 1762, son of Samuel and Mary (Cook) Harris.
- 24. iii. JOHN, b. 29 Aug. 1763
- iv. OLIVER, m. JAMES POTTER.
- v. MARY m. JOHN HARDWICK, son of Heinrich and ——— (Martman) Hardwick.

vi. ABIGAIL. m. JOHN CARTY.

vii. LUCY, m. MERRITT.

viii. SUSAN d. unm.

ix. EUNICE d. unm.

x. ISAAC m. ———.

Child: 1. WILLIAM⁶, m. RUTH McKENZIE, daughter of Alexander and Mary (Sallows) McKenzie.

xi. SARAH m. ABRAHAM LOWE.

25. xii. JOSEPH.

9. HENRY⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 16 Aug. 1740, died at Oxford, N.Y., 26 Oct. 1812. He married, at Southborough, 29 Apr. 1761, KEZIAH STOWE, born at Sudbury, 15 Aug. 1737, died there, 26 Sept. 1826, daughter of Benjamin and Zebiah Stowe.

He served in Capt. Israel Williams' company in 1757 at Pontoosuck (Pittsfield), and also in Capt. Aaron Fay's company in 1759. He also served in the Vermont Volunteers and with Col. John Sargent's regiment at Brattleboro.

Children, born at Southborough:

i. RHODA⁵, b. 6 Apr. 1762; d. 31 Aug. 1802; m. (1) DAVID MERRICK; and m. (2) at Newfane, Vt. in 1790, JOSHUA DAVIS, b. at Barre, 29 Feb. 1750, d. 24 June 1838.

ii. FRANCES b. 18 May 1764; m. at Newfane, Vt., 13 Mar. 1783, DARIUS WHEELER, b. at Shrewsbury, 11 Mar. 1761, son of John and Jedidah (Bigelow) Wheeler.

iii. JOSEPH, b. 19 June 1766; d. 19 June 1766.

v. LEAFA, b. 30 Mar. 1770; d. unm. in Sept. 1853, (1860?).

26. iv. FRANCIS, b. 17 July 1787.

27. vi. SAMUEL, b. 31 Dec 1772.

Children, born at Newfane, Vermont:

vii. OLIVE, b. 9 May 1780; d. 16 June 1859; m. at Newfane, Vt., 20 June 1796, JOSEPH HOLLAND, JR.

viii. SALLY, b. 21 May 1780; d. 16 Feb. 1859; m. SAMUEL FARNHAM, b. in 1775, d. in 1822.

ix. POLLY, b. ———; m. at Newfane, Vt., 17 May 1810, JOHN BEECH.

10. ISAAC⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, in July 1742, died in Nova Scotia. He married, first, ———; and secondly, at Barre, 9 July 1772, RUTH BACON, born at Natick, 14 Mar. 1751, daughter of Stephen and Ruth Bacon.

He served at Bennington in Capt. Stockwell's company of Col. Job Cushing's regiment.

He is recorded in the Vermont Census at Newfane in 1790. He shortly afterward joined his brothers in Nova Scotia, as he is recorded in Annapolis in the 1792 census.

Children by first wife, born at Framingham:

28. i. JACOB⁵, b. about 1770.
29. ii. ISAAC, b. 22 Oct. 1771.

Child by second wife, born at Barre:

- iii. BETTY, b. 21 Sept. 1774.

11. JAMES⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 14 Feb. 1738, died in 1825. He married, at Sudbury, 31 Dec. 1767, RUTH BALCOM, born there, 7 June 1751, died prior to 1826, daughter of Micah and Thankful (Smith) Balcom (*see number 5, above*).

He served at the siege of Boston in Col. Whiting's regiment.

Children, born at Sudbury:

30. i. STEPHEN⁵, b. 27 Feb. 1769.
ii. SUSANNA, b. 25 Jan. 1771.
31. iii. LEVI, b. 7 Aug. 1773.
iv. RUTH, b. 12 Sept. 1776; d. at Sudbury, in 1848; m. 7 Jan 1802, EBENEZER STUART.

12. ASAHEL⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a Soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 8 June 1741, died there, 19 June 1815. He married, at Sudbury, 5 May 1787, JERUSHA WILLIS, born there, 10 Feb. 1767, died 22 Oct. 1815.

He marched to Cambridge at the alarm of 19 April 1775, and also served in Capt. Asahel Wheeler's company of Col. Jonathan Reid's regiment.

Children, born at Sudbury:

- i. JERUSHA⁵, b. 28 Apr. 1767; d. 4 Apr. 1842; m. 3 Dec. 1795, ADAM HOWE, owner of the "Red Horse Tavern" or "Wayside Inn" immortalized by Henry W. Longfellow, the poet. Their son, Lyman Howe, the last landlord of the inn, is the poet's character of the landlord.
- ii. REBECCA, b. 22 Nov. 1768; m. 15 Dec. 1802, her first cousin, DANIEL PUFFER, b. 15 July 1779, d. 7 July 1864, son of Daniel and Mary (Balcom) Puffer.
32. iii. ASA, b. 16 July 1771.
- iv. ALSE, b. 3 Aug. 1782; probably d. young.

13. DANIEL⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 13 Dec. 1743, died at Winchendon, 16 May 1819. He married, at Sudbury, 20 Dec. 1771, MERCY MAYNARD, born at Hopkinton.

He purchased land at Winchendon in 1769.

Children, born at Winchendon:

33. i. GIDEON⁵, b. 27 Dec. 1771.
- ii. LOIS, b. 6 June 1774; d. 9 July 1831; m. at Winchendon, 25 Nov. 1799, JOSHUA STODDARD.
- iii. DANIEL, b. 25 May 1777; d. 26 June 1786.
- iv. NABBY, b. 28 May 1779; d. 1 Jan. 1785.
- v. MERCY, b. 26 Oct. 1782; d. 26 Jan. 1785.
- vi. POLLY, b. 25 June 1791; d. at Winchendon, 30 June 1835; m. at Winchendon, 23 Mar. 1823, LUKE RICE.

14. LIEUT. JOSEPH⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a

soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 6 Apr. 1752, died there, 15 Nov. 1827. He married there, 20 Nov 1783, CATHERINE HAYNES, born 18 May 1760, died 5 July 1852, daughter of James and Abigail (Noyes) Haynes.

His service in the Revolutionary war was long and meritorious. He was commissioned a lieutenant, 15 June 1781, He was a charter member of the Massachusetts Society of the Cincinnati.

Children, born at Templeton:

- i. CATHERINE⁵, b. 10 May 1784; d. unm. 9 Sept. 1827.
- ii. LUCY b. 27 July 1786; d. 13 Oct. 1865; m. JOHN SAWYER
- iii. LETTY, b. 2 Oct. 1788; d. unm. 25 Dec. 1845.
- 34. iv. VILLEFOY, b. 25 July 1791.
- v. SILAS, b. 27 Oct. 1793; d. 7 May 1794.
- vi. SILAS, b. 14 Dec. 1795; d. unm in 1826.
- vii. ASAHIEL, b. 2 Apr. 1798; d. 21 Dec. 1800.
- viii ABIGAIL, b. 15 Feb. 1801; d. at Villanova, N.Y., 22 Feb. 1874;
m. 28 Sept. 1823, OTIS FLETCHER.

15. JOHN⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 6 Apr. 1756, died, 24 Sept. 1832. He married, at Sudbury, 5 Nov. 1778, ANNA HAYNES, born there about 1755, died there, 12 Nov. 1849, daughter of Israel and Sarah (Parke) Haynes.

He was a private in Capt. Asahel Wheeler's company of Col. Jonathan Reed's regiment, having enlisted 28 Sept. 1777

Children, born at Sudbury:

- i. SARAH⁵, b. 15 Dec. 1781.
- ii. ADAH, b. 13 Mar. 1783; d. 16 Dec. 1862; m. 28 Dec. 1803,
her first cousin, ASA BALCOM, son of Asahel and Jerusha
(Willis) Balcom. (*see number 33, below*)
- 35. iii REUBEN, b. 5 Dec. 1785.
- 36. iv THADDEUS, b. 1 June 1787.
- v ANNA, b. 11 Dec. 1789.

37 vi. JOHN, b. 10 June 1792.

vii. MARY ANN, b. 9 May 1798; m. (*int.*) at Lincoln, 27 Mar. 1827, DEXTER ALDEN, son of Moses and Elizabeth (Whitney) Alden.

16. MICAH⁴ BALCOM (*Micah³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 16 Jan. 1744, died at Hague, N.Y., 10 June 1811. He married, at Sudbury, 2 July 1772, CATHERINE HARRINGTON, born 6 Aug. 1755 died in 1833, daughter of Caleb and Hepzibah (Hayden) Harrington.

He served as a private in Lieut. Ephriam Wheeler's company of Col. Ebenezer Brooke's regiment.

Children, born at Sudbury:

38.i. CALEB⁵, b. 27 July 1774.

39.ii. ISAAC, b. 26 Aug. 1776.

40.iii. URIAH, b. 11 Sept. 1778.

iv. ABIGAIL, b. 7 Aug. 1780.

v. ELIZABETH, b. 1 Mar. 1781; m. ASA PRATT.

(*end of fourth generation*)

17. HENRY⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Paradise, N. S. in 1768, died there, 28 Aug 1850. He married there, ANNIE MORSE, born in 1778, died there 24 Aug. 1861, daughter of Abner and Elizabeth (Sanders) Morse.

In the year 1807 he was a claimant for bounty having cleared seven and three-quarters acres of land.

Children, born at Paradise, N.S:

41.i. JONAS⁶, b. in 1797; d. in 1870; m. SALOME PARKER.

ii. NANCY, b. in 1779; m. (1) SILAS PARKER; and m. (2), as his third wife, JOSEPH WADE.

42.iii. JOHN, b. in 1801; d. in 1883; m. MARGARET C. MORSE.

iv. ELIZABETH, b. in 1803, m. EDWARD PARKER.

v. LUCY, b. in 1805; d. in 1874; m. JACOB DURLAND.

- vi. LOVICIA, b. in 1807; m. in 1842, GEORGE HENRY HARRIS.
- vii. MERCY, b. in 1809; d. unm. 20 Mar. 1839.
- 43. viii. JAMES EDWIN, b. in 1810; d. 19 Jan. 1882; m. (1) PRUDENCE NEAL; and m. (2) SARAH BAETTY.
- ix. MARY ANN, b. in 1813; m. JOHN HARRIS.

(also two other children who died in infancy)

18. JONAS⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Paradise, N.S. in 1770, died there, 6 May 1840. He married MARY CHASE, daughter of Rev. ——— and ——— (Bushell) Chase.

Children, born at Sheet Harbor, N.S:

- 41. i. SAMUEL⁶, b. in 1802; d. in 1894; m. NANCY MCCARTHY.
- 45. ii. HENRY, b. 20 Oct. 1804; d. 14 July 1882; m. (1) HONOR FARRELL; and m. (2) MARY QUILLINAN.
- iii. SARAH, m. ——— MCPHEE.
- iv. NANCY, m. JOHN BEHIE.
- v. LYDIA, m. STUDLEY HORTON.

19. REUBEN⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Paradise, N. S. in 1770, died there 6 May 1840. He married in Annapolis County, N.S., in 1796, PHOEBE MESSENGER, daughter of Ebenezer and Margaret (Hooper) Messenger.

In the year 1807 he received a bounty for having cleared five and three-quarters acres of land.

Children, born at Paradise, N.S:

- i. LYDIA⁶, b. in 1797; d. in 1881; m. in 1815, JACOB DURLAND.
- ii. MARY, b. in 1799; d. in 1888; m. Rev. OBAD A. H. PARKER.
- 46. iii. SAMUEL, b. in 1801; d. 17 Mar. 1875; m. (1) LUCY PARKER; and m. (2) HARRIET S. ———.
- 47. iv. EBENEZER, b. in 1803; d. 3 Dec. 1875; m. HELEN M. LONGELY.
- v. MARIA, b. in 1806; d. in 1806.
- 48. vi. REUBEN, b. in 1811; d. in Aug. 1903; m. DORCAS LONGELY.
- vii. LOVICIA, b. in 1814; d. unm. 10 Aug. 1863.

viii. ELIZA, b. in 1816; m. OBADIAH NEILY.

49. ix. WILLIAM ELDER, b. in 1819; d. 1 Dec. 1901; m. MARGARET GANNON.

20. JOSEPH BRIGHAM⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Paradise, N. S. in 1774, died there in 1840. He married in Annapolis County, N.S. in 1801, PHOEBE TUFTS, born in 1781, died in 1840, daughter of William Ellery and Hannah (Whitman) Tufts.

Children:

50. i. SILAS⁶, b. in 1802; d. 16 Oct. 1889; m. (1) ANN VAN BUSKIRK, and m. (2) CATHERINE (AMBERMAN) HALFYARD.

51. ii. MAJOR PARKER, b. in 1804; d. 1 Nov. 1886; m. MARY NOWLAN OROUKE.

iii. LAVINIA, b. in 1806; m. JOHN REMSON.

iv. AMELIA, b. in 1808; d. unm.

v. WILLIAM, b. in 1810; d. unm. in 1829.

52. vi. DAVID HARRIS, b. in 1812; d. in 1850; m. MARY WALLETT.

vii. SERAPHINA ANN, b. in 1815; m. PAUL AMBERMAN.

viii. PHYLLIS, b. in 1816; d. unm.

ix. THERESA, b. in 1819; d. unm.

x. LENORA, b. in 1821; m. JACOB DURLAND, Jr.

xi. JOSEPH ALLEN, b. in 1823.

xii. HANNAH A. (?). b. in 1825; d. 22 June 1853.

53. xiii. SAMUEL JUDSON, b. in 1827; d. 16 Mar. 1910; m. ELIZABETH BANKS.

54. xiv. JONAS WILLIAM HORTON, b. in 1829; d. in 1901; m. MARY S. BANKS.

21. MICAH⁵ BALCOM (*Jonas⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Sudbury, 30 July 1758, died at Methuen, 5 July 1858. He married, at Stowe, 22 June 1780, BETTY CUTTER.

He enlisted, 17 Aug. 1777, for service in the northern army and was a private in Capt. Jonathan Rice's company of Col. Samuel Bullard's regiment.

Children, born at Sudbury:

i. NABBY⁶, b. 7 Aug. 1780; m. at Bolton, JOHN PRIEST, JR.

- 55.ii. JONAS, b. 24 Nov. 1782; d. at Tewkesbury, 14 Aug. 1867;
m. MARY RICHARDSON.
- iii. SALLY, b. 10 Aug. 1785; d. 23 Mar. 1803; m. ALLEN STONE.
- iv. SILAS, b. in 1789; d. in infancy.
- v. LUCINDA, b. in 1789(?).
- 56.vi. JOSEPH, b. 18 Jan. 1792; m. (1) MARY ———; and (2)
LYDIA TEMPLE, and (3) MARY SAMPSON.
- vi.. DORCAS, b. 6 Aug. 1794; d. at Marlborough, 27 Sept. 1835;
m. 25 Jan. 1814, as his first wife, SAMUEL HOWE.
- 57.viii. HENRY, b. 22 Sept. 1797; m. SALLY TEMPLE.

22. JOEL⁵ BALCOM (*Jonas⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury in Sept. 1764, died at Ashby, 27 Sept. 1840. He married, at Sudbury, 13 Jan. 1791, LUCY BROWN, born there, 27 Feb. 1772, died there, 27 Mar. 1841, daughter of Samuel and Mary Brown.

Children, born at Sudbury:

- 58.i. VARNUM⁶, b. 4 Mar. 1792; d. in 1859; m. ESTHER WALKER.
- ii. SILVA, b. 3 July 1794; d. in 1875; m. HENRY STRATTON.
- 59.iii. JOEL, b. 3 July 1797; d. in 1845; m. ALMIRA FLAGG.
- iv. LUCY BROWN, b. 2 Mar. 1800; m. JOSEPH BRIGHAM.
- 60 v. CORTES, b. 6 Feb. 1804; d. 25 Dec. 1892; m. PHOEBE TEMPLE.
- vi. MARY ANN, (twin), b. in 1808; m. HENRY ALDEN.
- vii. GRACE ANN, (twin), b. in 1808; m. JONATHAN VOSE.
- viii. CAROLINE, b. in 1812; m. 3 Nov. 1839, JONATHAN VOSE.

23. SILAS⁵ BALCOMB (*Silas⁴, Joseph⁵, Joseph², Henry¹*), born in Annapolis County, Nova Scotia about 1762, died in New York City in Aug. 1832. He married, (?) first, RACHEL BOGARDUS; and secondly, MARY VALENTINE, of New York.

Family tradition reports that he ran away from home at about nineteen years of age. From 1804 until his death his name appears in the city directory of New York as a blacksmith.

Children:

- i. JOSEPH⁶, who d. unm

- ii. SARAH, m. ELISHA KINGSLAND.
- iii. WILLIAM, who d. unm.
- 61. iv. JOHN, m. SARAH E. MERRITT.
- v. ABRAM, m. MARGARET MORRELL.
- vi. CHARLES, m. ANN HALL.
- 62. vii. HENRY, d. 23 May 1876; m. HARRIET RAYE.
- viii. ELIZA, m. JAMES HYATT.
- ix. MARY, m. JAMES ELLISON.
- x. ANN, m. ELIJAH SOPER.
- xi. HARRIET.
- 63. xii. JAMES SILAS, b. 20 Oct. 1824; d. in 1899; m. E. COTTRELL.
(and others as family tradition reports sixteen children)

24. JOHN⁵ BALCOMB (*Silas⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born in Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, 29 Aug. 1763, died in Boston, 14 Jan. 1809. He married, at Annapolis, N.S., 24 May 1791, HELEN GILMORE, born in Edinborough, Scotland, 21 Oct. 1772, died at Clementsport, N.S., 19 July 1853, daughter of Robert Gilmore, a British soldier in the Revolution.

He received a bounty for clearing five and one-quarter acres of land in the year 1805. In 1798 he was a member of Annapolis Royal Lodge, No. 25, A.F.&A.M.

Children, born at Clementsport, N.S:

- i. WILLIAM⁶, b. in Jan. 1792; d. young.
- 64. ii. JAMES, b. 8 Jan. 1794; d. 12 June 1884; m. MARY POTTER.
for line of descent of the compiler see Vita
- iii. MARY, b. 20 Apr. 1796; m. as his first wife, JOHN POTTER, b. 19 Jan. 1792, d. 15 Mar. 1878, son of Rev. Israel and Mary (Rice) Potter.
- iv. MARGARET, b. 19 Dec. 1798; m. (1) JOSEPH POTTER, b. 31 Jan. 1794, d. 19 Oct. 1829, son of Rev. Israel and Mary (Rice) Potter; and m. (2) JOHN RICE, b. in 1786, son of Silas and Mary (Kniffen) Rice.
- v. SUSANNA, b. 4 Apr. 1801; m. AMBROSE BENT.
- 65. vi. JOHN, b. 12 Aug. 1803; d. 24 July 1861; m. (1) CATHERINE LOW; and m. (2) MARTHA MERRITT.
- vii. ELLENNOR, b. 26 Aug. 1805; m. WILLIAM LENT.
- viii. SARAH ANN, b. 6 Apr. 1808; m. JESSE WARNER.

25. JOSEPH⁵ BALCOM (*Silas⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born in Annapolis County, N.S. He married, in 1808, SARAH WRIGHT.

Children, born in Annapolis County, N.S:

- i. EMMALINE⁶, b. in 1809.
- ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. in 1811.
- iii. JAMES STANLEY, b. in 1813.
- 66.iv. JOHN N., b. at Clementsport, N.S., 2 May 1816; d. at Eastport, Me., 22 May 1874; m. (1) MARGARET ———; and (2) HELEN MARR SIMPSON.
- 67.v. JONAS, m. ANN RICE.
- 68.vi. JOSEPH ALLEN, b. in 1820; d. at Eastport, Me., 4 Nov. 1884; m. (1) SUSANNAH SHAW; and m. (2) KATHERINE PARKER.
- vii. HENRIETTA, b. in 1822
- viii. EDWARD W., b. about 1826; d. at St. John, N.B., 17 Dec. 1889; m. HENRIETTA MELVIN.
- ix. SIDNEY R., b. in May 1827; d. 14 Feb. 1892; m. ———.

26. FRANCIS⁵ BALCOM (*Henry⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Southborough, 17 July 1767, died at Oxford, N.Y., 8 Aug. 1850. He married, at Oxford, N.Y., in 1797, PRISCILLA KINNEY, born in Columbia County, N.Y., 1 Jan. 1776, died at Oxford, N.Y., 26 Sept. 1866, daughter of Didymus Kinney.

While at Rochdale, N.Y. in 1789, he met General Benjamin Hovey who had recently secured title to lands situated on the Chenango River. With three others he contracted to build a road through the forest to this tract. The village on the tract was named in honor of the former Massachusetts residence of General Hovey (Oxford).

Children, born at Oxford, N. Y:

- 69.i. HENRY⁶, b. 16 Jan. 1798; d. 26 Jan. 1878; m. (1) MARY HUNNEWELL; and m. (2) SARAH KATHAN.
- 70.ii. JOSEPH, b. 18 Oct. 1799; m. LUCRETIA WARREN.
- iii. SAMUEL, b. 4 May 1801; d. in Penn. about 1824.

- iv. LEAFA, b. 14 Dec. 1802; d. at Watertown, N. Y., 9 Dec. 1860; m. in Sept. 1827, BENJAMIN COREY.
- v. HIRAM, b. 2 Dec. 1804; d. young unm.
- vi. FANNY, b. 11 Mar. 1807; m. at Watertown, ZEB. LARNED.
- vii. ANN BEZIAH, b. 2 Mar. 1809; d. 11 Dec. 1889; m. HUBBARD RANDALL.
- viii. CHARLES AUSTIN, b. 31 July 1811; d. unm.
- ix. POLLY, b. 17 Nov. 1813; d. in Oct. 1851; m. DANIEL THROOP.
- 71.x. STEPHEN, b. 2 Apr. 1816; d. 25 May 1863; m. MARGARET HEALEY.
- 72.xi. WILLIAM OTIS, b. 26 July 1818; d. 17 Oct. 1902; m. MELINDA LEWIS.

27. SAMUEL⁵ BALCOM (*Henry⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Marlborough, 31 Dec. 1772, died at Oxford, N. Y., 27 Aug. 1847. He married, at Oxford, N. Y., 8 Mar. 1800, POLLY KNAPP, born 1 Dec. 1780, died, 7 Oct. 1852.

Children, born at Oxford, N. Y:

- 73.i. LYMAN⁶, b. 29 Nov. 1800; d. 19 May 1887; m. CLARISSA HOLLENBECK.
- ii. ELIZA, b. 19 Nov. 1802; d. 1 June 1883; m. WM. PEARSALL.
- iii. LUKE, b. 29 Nov. 1804; d. unm. 15 Feb. 1842.
- iv. FAYETTE, b. 12 July 1807; d. 1 Apr. 1879; m. CALVIN COLE.
- 74.v. BENJAMIN F., b. 10 Jan. 1810; d. 20 Dec. 1879; m. ELIZA ANN ROOT.
- vi. HARRIET, b. 15 Feb. 1812; m. WILLIAM RHODES.
- vii. URI TRACY, b. 17 May 1815; d. in Chicago, 1 Nov. 1893; m. at Campbelltown, N. Y. in 1841, JANE BESLEY.
He was a lumber merchant and banker at Oconto, Wis. He retired from service in the Civil War with the rank of colonel. They had no children but adopted a niece who became the wife of W. C. D. Grannis.
- 75.viii. RANSOM R., b. 16 Apr. 1818; d. 6 Jan. 1879; m. SUSAN E. C. FARNHAM.
- 76.ix. GEORGE FARNHAM, b. 6 Feb. 1823; d. at Cawker City, Kan., 21 Dec. 1879; m. FLORINDA KEETCH.

23. JACOB⁵ BALCOM (*Isaac⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*),

born at Framingham, about 1770. He married ———. Deeds show that he was at Leon, N. Y. in 1845 and he is also reported to have lived at Gowanda, N. Y.

Children:

- i. AUGUSTUS⁶, m. at Gowanda, N. Y. in Dec. 1829, SARAH CATHERINE AVERILL, b. at Randolph, Vt., 29 Apr. 1834. d. in Iowa, daughter of Samuel and Christabel (Kibbe) Averill.

(and probably others)

29. ISAAC⁵ BALCOM (*Isaac⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Framingham, 22 Oct. 1771, died, 10 Apr. 1858. He married, at Norfolk, Conn., 9 Dec. 1790, ANNA BURR, born there, 22 Oct. 1774, died 17 Feb. 1847, daughter of Ebenezer Burr.

Children:

- i. SARAH PHELPS⁶ b. at Norfolk, Conn., 10 May 1792.
- ii. DANIEL ALLENSON, b. 12 Feb. 1792.
- iii. RATIA BRAINARD, b. 23 July 1800.
- iv. ANNA, b. 3 Apr. 1803; m. JOHN JOHNSON.
- 77.v. ISAAC BURR, b. 21 June 1805; d. at Owasco, N. Y., 3 Sept. 1885; m. (1) CLARINDA NOYES; and m. (2) HARRIET DEGROFF.
- vi. SOPHIA SOPHRONA, b. 24 Dec. 1807.
- vii. SALLY MARIA, b. 17 Dec. 1811.
- viii. LUCIA MINERVA, b. 21 July 1814; m. PITTS B. ELLIS.
- 78.ix. BRADLEY PHELPS, b. 26 July 1816; d. in Wisconsin, 16 Aug. 1900; m. at Perrysburg, N. Y., PATIENCE P. FITCH.

30. STEPHEN⁵ BALCOM (*James⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 27 Feb. 1769, died there in 1821. He married LUCY WRIGHT.

He lived at Ashby and Sudbury in Massachusetts and also in Mason and New Ipswich in New Hampshire.

Children:

- i. LUCY⁶, b. at Ashby, 12 Mar. 1792; d. 9 Oct. 1880; m. at New Ipswich, N.H., 26 Aug. 1813, EBENEZER HOWE, b. at Marlborough, 18 Dec. 1784, son of Luther and Elizabeth (Watson) Howe.
- ii. SUSANNA, b. 18 Jan. 1794; m. 26 Feb. 1818, JOSEPH RICE
- iii. STEPHEN, b. in 1797; d. in infancy.
- 79.iv. STEPHEN WARD, b. at Mason, N.H., 9 Oct. 1799; d. at Cambridge, 10 July 1891; m. ALICE CARLISLE.
- v. ALMIRA, b. at New Ipswich, N.H., 30 May 1802; m. JOSEPH WILLOUGHBY.
- vi. THOMAS WRIGHT, b. in 1804; d. in infancy.
- vii. LUCINDA, b. in 1805; d. 13 Aug. 1871; m. WILLIAM CARLTON.
- viii. LOVE WRIGHT, b. 16 June 1811; m. LEVI HOOPER.
- ix. JAMES WRIGHT, b. in 1812; d. in infancy.

31. LEVI⁵ BALCOM (*James⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 7 Aug. 1773, died 12 Feb. 1847. He married at Chester, Vt., 9 Dec. 1802, BETSEY HOWE, born in July 1785, died 3 May 1855.

Children, born at Sudbury:

- i. ELIZA⁶, b. 24 June 1808; d. unm. 24 Sept. 1859.
- ii. MARY, b. in July 1811; d. unm. 19 Oct. 1838.
- 80.iii. LYMAN HOWE, b. 4 Sept. 1819; d. 26 Oct. 1895; m. (1) EVELINE SANGER LAMB; and (2) ELECTA W. SOUTHWICK.

32. ASA⁵ BALCOM (*Asahel⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 13 July 1781, died there, 15 Apr 1855. He married there, 28 Dec. 1808, ADAH BALCOM, born there, 13 Mar. 1783, died there, 16 Dec. 1863, daughter of John⁴ (*John³, Joseph², Henry¹*) and Anna (Haynes) Balcom. (*see number 15, above*)

Children, born at Sudbury:

- i. CLARISSA⁶, b. in Nov. 1810; d. 29 Apr. 1820.
- ii. HOLLIS, b. 30 May 1811; d. at Maynard, 24 June 1885; m. at Grafton, 30 May 1835, LUCY GERRY, b. in 1819, d. 10

Aug. 1884, daughter of George and Elizabeth Gerry .

- iii. ASAH^{EL}, b. 9 Aug. 1815; d. at Maynard, 15 Apr. 1891; m. 13 Sept. 1852, REBECCA ABBOTT PRIEST, b. at Salem about 1817, d. at Maynard, 9 Nov. 1895, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Priest.

Child, born at Sudbury:

1. WILLIAM PICKERING⁷, b. 21 Dec. 1853; d. 21 Dec. 1853.

- iv. JERUSHA, b. 17 Oct. 1817; m. ZEBULON P. STANLEY.

One of their children, ASA BALCOM STANLEY, b. at Bangor, Me., 20 Sept. 1857, d. at Westboro, 15 Nov. 1920, was adopted by ASA (*number 32, above*) and his name changed to ASA STANLEY BALCOM. He m. (1) MARTHA E. KIMBALL; and m. (2) MARY (KEANE) BROWN.

- v. HARRIET, b. in Feb. 1819; d. 13 Aug. 1820.

33. GIDEON⁵ BALCOM (*Daniel⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Winchendon, 27 Dec. 1771, died there, 30 Aug 1823. He married there, 28 Feb. 1797, ANNA HALE, born there, 22 June 1772, died there, 8 Apr. 1828.

Children, born at Winchendon:

- i. JOSEPH⁶, b. 19 July 1798; d. 10 Nov. 1822.
 ii. ABIGAIL, b. 19 June 1800; d. 20 Sept. 1810.
 iii. MARTIN, b. 16 Feb. 1804; d. 30 Sept. 1805.
 iv. LUCY, b. 27 July 1806; d. 12 Sept. 1810.
 v. NELSON, b. 17 Oct. 1808; d. 8 Sept. 1819.
 vi. SABRINA, b. 11 Sept. 1811; d. 18 Oct. 1885; m. CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS ALGER.

- 81.vii. LINCOLN, b. 17 Dec. 1813; d. 20 May 1885; m. ABIGAIL RAYMOND.

34. VILLEROY⁵ BALCOM (*Joseph⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Templeton, 25 July 1791, died at Villanova, N. Y., 2 Feb. 1868. He married, 17 Aug. 1816, ANNE PUFFER, born at Sudbury, 17 Jan. 1792, died, 8 Oct. 1882, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Balcom) Puffer.

He was one of the original purchasers of land at Villanova, N. Y. in the year 1816.

Children, born at Villanova, N. Y:

- i. MARY ANN⁶, b. 28 Mar. 1818; d. 9 Nov. 1895; m. J. CLARK
- ii. CATHERINE, b. 26 Dec. 1820; d. 7 Dec. 1903; m. R. NISBET.
- iii. ANNIE, b. 13 May 1822; d. 7 July 1904; m. ABEL J. WRIGHT.
- 82.iv. VILLEROY, b. 12 Feb. 1824; d. 23 Nov. 1892; m. J. PHILLIPS.
- v. JOSEPH⁶, who d. in infancy.
- vi. SOPHRONIA, b. 29 Jan. 1829; m. Z. H. PHILLIPS.
- vii. CAROLINE, b. 30 Jan. 1830; m. ALVA FORD.
- viii. FIDELIA, b. 3 Nov. 1832; m. HARVEY GREEN.

35. REUBEN⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 8 June 1785, died at Shirley, 20 Oct. 1842. He married, at Shirley, 27 Nov. 1806, ELIZABETH HARTWELL, born there in 1788, died there, 5 Jan. 1864, daughter of Amasa and Lydia (Morris) Hartwell.

Children, born at Shirley:

- 83.i. AMASA HARTWELL⁶, b. 6 Feb. 1808; d. 8 Jan. 1847; MARGARET S. CHAPMAN.
- ii. ADALINE, b. 25 Sept. 1809; d. 25 Oct. 1894; m. J. CHAPMAN.
- 84.iii. THADDEUS, b. 4 Mar. 1811; d. 25 Aug. 1900; m. (1) REBECCA FROTHINGHAM; and m. (2) ELIZA G. PUFFER; and m. (3) HARRIET A. SAWTELL.
- 85.iv. REUBEN, b. 18 Jan. 1813; d. 30 Aug. 1875; m. H. HUNT.
- 86.v. HORACE LONGELY, b. 23 Jan. 1815; d. 21 June 1891; m. (1) LUCY ANN KIBLING; and m. (2) JANETTE D. KETCHUM.
- vi. ELIZABETH, b. 4 Oct. 1817; d. 5 Jan. 1864; m. A. F. HOLDEN.
- 87.vii. JOHN, b. 16 May 1819; d. 13 Nov. 1895; m. (1) SARAH J. KEMP; and m. (2) SUSAN ABIGAIL POLLARD.
- viii. LYDIA PIERCE, b. 26 June 1820; d. 29 Nov. 1903; m. (1) at Ludlow, Vt., 18 Oct. 1840, ALBERT S. KEMP, b. at Groton, 1 May 1817, d. in 1848; and m. (2) CHARLES B. SHERMAN.
- 88.ix. ABEL H., b. 10 Dec. 1827; m. (1) SARAH E. STEVENS, and m. (2) JENNIE V. BULLARD.
- x. ———, b. 6 Nov. 1829; probably d. young.
- xi. HANNAH MARIA, b. 20 Dec. 1830; d. 18 Aug. 1892; m. N. HERSHOM, b. at Lebanon, Me. in 1828, son of John.
- xii. MARY ANN, b. 20 Oct. 1833; d. 27 Sept. 1847.

36. THADDEUS⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), a soldier in the War of 1812, born at Sudbury, 1 June 1787, died at Concord, 1 June 1838. He married, at Concord, 11 Jan. 1813, MARY MELVIN, born there in 1795, died 29 Apr. 1834.

He served at Boston in Lieut. Col. S. K. Chamberlain's regiment in September and October 1814.

Children, born at Concord:

- i. WILLIAM MERCER⁶, b. 16 May 1813.
- ii. LOUISA MELVIN, b. 1 Sept. 1815; m. DAVID E. CHASE.
- iii. MARY, b. 5 Apr. 1818; d. 3 May 1818.
- iv. ABEL HAYWOOD, b. 4 Sept. 1819; d. 2 Aug. 1822.
- v. THADDEUS.
- vi. SARAH MERCER, b. 3 Apr. 1825; d. 11 Feb. 1860; m. as his first wife, ALVIN DAVIS PUFFER, b. 14 Nov. 1819.
- vii. THOMAS M., b. in 1827; d. at Danvers, 6 Jan. 1898; m. at Malden, 24 Dec. 1854, MARY B. NICHOLS, b. at Everett, 3 Aug. 1837, d. at Malden, 29 Dec. 1906, daughter of George and Mary (Farnham) Nichols.

Children, born at Concord:

1. LUCY M^r., b. 26 Oct. 1855; m. at Everett, 6 Apr. 1881. FRED T. MILLS.
2. MARY ELIZABETH, b. 16 Dec. 1859; m. 28 Dec. 1881, FRED P. GREENWOOD.

37. JOHN⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, John³, Joseph², Henry¹*), born at Sudbury, 10 June 1792, died at Pepperell, 7 Apr. 1878. He married, at Groton, 30 July 1820, RHODA PIERCE, born at Shirley, 12 Mar. 1800, died at Pepperell, 24 Sept. 1863.

Children:

- i. JOHN ALVIN⁶, b. at Groton, 25 Jan. 1821; m. (1) CAROLINE E. HOLDEN; and m. (2) MARY MARVIN.
- ii. RHODA ANN, b. 11 Apr. 1822; m. at Pepperell, 15 Oct. 1846, SAMUEL SOUTHER.
- 89.iii. EDWARD STREETER, b. at Harvard, 2 Mar. 1823; d. 29 Oct.

1877; m. SARAH BECKWITH.

- 90.iv. JOSIAH ABNER, b. 23 July 1825; d. 14 Sept. 1905; m. ANN ANSTRISS CLEMENT.
- 91.v. CLARK SIMON, b. at Groton, 29 Oct. 1827; d. 14 June 1865; m. HANNAH A. ADAMS.
- 92.vi. GILMAN PARKER, b. 19 Sept. 1829; d. 2 Mar. 1863; m. —.
- vii. SUSAN ELLEN, b. at Pepperell, 21 Sept. 1833; m. C. ROBERTSON.
- 93.viii. JOSEPH PAYSON, b. 15 Oct. 1835; d. 14 Apr. 1904, m. ELIZA A. REYNOLDS.
- ix. CHARLES HENRY, (twin) b. 7 May 1841; d. in the Civil War, at Suffolk, Va., 6 Jan. 1863.
- 94.x. GEORGE HENRY, (twin) b. 7 May 1841; d. 20 Apr. 1899; m. as her second husband, HANNAH A. (ADAMS) BALCOM.
- xi. MARY JANE, b. 10 Mar. 1843; m. at Natick, 3 Apr. 1861, FRANCIS L. JENKS, b. at West Shetford, Vt., son of Harvey and Mary Jenks.

38. CALEB⁵ BALCOM (*Micah⁴, Micah³, Joseph², Henry¹*, born at Sudbury, 27 July 1744, died 24 Mar. 1841. He married about 1795, ESTHER SLOCUMB, born at Hubbardston, 5 July 1775, daughter of Samuel and Miriam (Richardson) Slocumb.

Children:

- i. CALEB⁶, b. at Hubbardston, in 179--; d. 8 July 1799.
- 95.ii. SAMUEL SLOCUMB, b. at Hague, N. Y., in 1800; d. 4 Oct. 1878; m. EMERGENCY JOHNSON.

39. ISAAC⁵ BALCOM (*Micah⁴, Micah³, Joseph², Henry¹*, born at Sudbury, 26 Aug. 1776, died, 26 Dec. 1826. He married, at Hubbardston, SARAH GREEN, born there, 28 Dec. 1777, died at Hague, N. Y., 22 Apr. 1869, daughter of Joseph and Hepzibah (Heald) Green.

Children:

- 96.i. JOHN⁶, b. at Hubbardston, 7 July 1797; d. 18 Mar. 1849; m. CYNTHIA DENSMORE.
- ii. HANNAH, b. at Newfane, Vt., 4 Mar. 1800; m. J. JENKINS.

- 97.iii. STEPHEN, b. 23 Jan. 1802; m. SALOME DOOLITTLE.
- 98.iv. CURTIS, b. at Hague, N. Y., 12 Jan. 1804; d. 1 Nov. 1885.
m. LOUISA BURT.
- 99.v. CALEB, b. 12 Mar. 1806; d. 11 Mar. 1862; m. P. SPENCER
- 100.vi. URIAH, b. 8 Apr. 1808; d. 27 June 1864; m. L. WHEELER.
- vii. MATILDA, b. 2 Feb. 1810; m. WILLIAM JONES.
- viii. ROXANNA, b. 2 Dec. 1813; m. ZENOS RISING.
- ix. SALLY, b. 18 Nov. 1815; m. RICHARD WALLACE.
- 101.x. CHAUNCEY M., b. 13 June 1818; d. at Rosendale, Wis., 18
Feb. 1903; m. MARY ANN COOK.
- xi. BETSEY, (twin) b. 11 June 1820.
- 102.xii. JOSEPH G., (twin) b. 11 June 1820; d. 10 Sept. 1891; m.
MARIA L. HOLLAND.
- xiii. MARY, b. 9 Sept. 1823; d. 29 Mar. 1904; m. (1) JOEL
RISING; and m. (2) ——— REMINGTON.

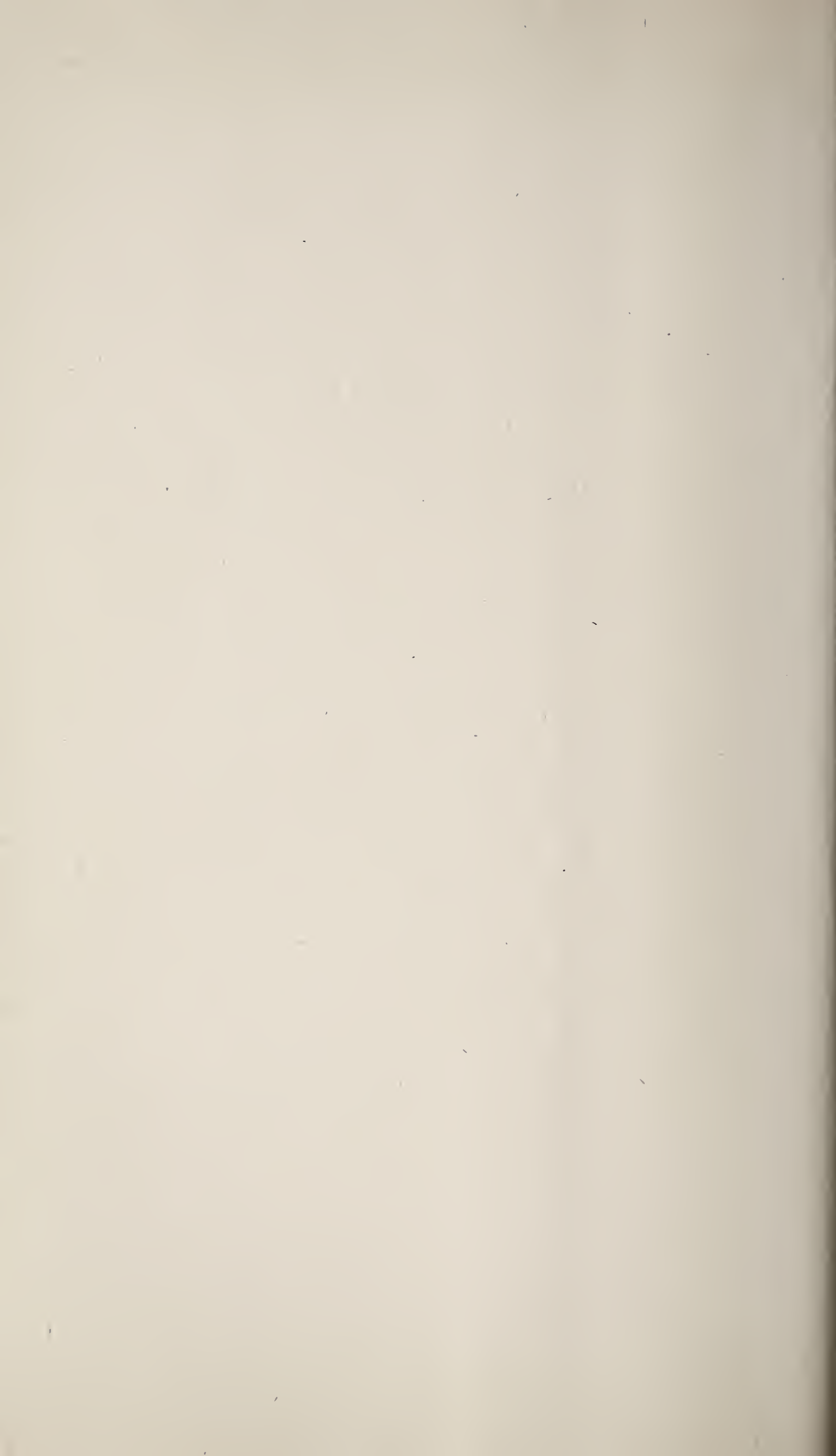
40. URIAH⁵ BALCOM (*Micah⁴, Micah³, Joseph², Henry¹*),
born at Sudbury, 11 Sept. 1778, died 1 Nov. 1832. He
married PATIENCE WAIST.

Children, born (probably) at Hague, N. Y:

- i. EBENEZER⁶, b. 30 Dec. 1804.
- ii. BETSEY, b. 12 Apr. 1807; m. PETER HOLMAN.
- iii. LUCY, b. 18 Feb. 1809; m. in 1827, ——— KENYON.
- iv. WILLIAM H., b. 24 Nov. 1810; settled at Argo, Ill.
- v. SALLY, b. in Nov. 1812.
- vi. HIRAM C., b. 20 Oct. 1814; d. 23 May 1843.
- vii. PATTY, b. 18 May 1816.
- viii. ALVIRA, b. 1 Oct. 1818.
- ix. PATIENCE, b. May 1821.
- 103.x. ELLIOT RILEY, b. 23 Apr. 1823; d. 15 Aug. 1867; m. MARY
CUSHMAN.
- xi. ELTHA ESTHER, b. 25 Apr. 1825; d. 26 Apr. 1895; m. ASA
LEONARD PRATT.
- xii. CATHERINE, b. 21 May 1827.

(end of fifth generation)

ALEXANDER BALCOM
AND HIS DESCENDANTS



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1. ALEXANDER¹ BALCOM, born, probably, in England; died 4 May 1711. He married first ———; and secondly, as her second husband, at Providence, JANE HOLBROOK ALBREE, born at Weymouth*, probably in 1654; died prior to 1711, daughter of William² (*Thomas*¹) and Elizabeth (Pitts) Holbrook. Her first husband was John Albree who was slain by the Indians at Mendon, 14 July 1675.

He is recorded as an inhabitant of Portsmouth, Rhode Island, 31 Jan. 1664. He purchased, 14 July 1686, from Nathan Payne, all his interest in a tract of land called "Wesquodomsett" located about twelve miles north of Providence.

Another deed, dated 26 May 1691, records Alexander as grantee of fifty acres of land located near the colony line and ten mile hill at Rehoboth. (*Rehoboth Proprietor's Records vol. 2, page 199*)

His will was proved 31 May 1711. The inventory of his personal estate was £35 4s 7d.

*Unless otherwise stated, places are in Massachusetts.

Children by first wife, born probably at Providence:

2. i. ALEXANDER².
- ii. CATHERINE, b. about 1661; d. in 1729; m. (1) ISAAC ALLEN, son of John and Christian Allen; and m. (2) as his first wife, about 1693, DANIEL JENCKES, son of Joseph and Elizabeth Jenckes of Lynn.
- iii. SARAH, b. about 1663; m. 29 Mar. 1669, TIMOTHY SHELDON.

Children by second wife:

- iv. JOHN, b. in 1678; d. 30 Jan. 1739; m. SARAH BARTLETT, daughter of John and Alice Bartlett. (*no children*)
- v. FREEGIFT, who d. unm. Providence records show the appointment of a guardian for Freegift due to insanity.
3. vi. JOSEPH.
- vii. HANNAH, m. (1) at Providence, 22 Feb. 1715, EBENEZER HAYWOOD, (HOWARD?); and m. (2) 3 Oct. 1742, JOHN ARNOLD.
- viii. SAMUEL, d. at Mendon, prior to 14 July 1712.
- ix. DEBORAH, d. prior to 7 July 1713; m. M. ARNOLD.
- x. LYDIA, m. at Swansea, 14 Feb. 1701, DANIEL HIX.

2. ALEXANDER² BALCOM (*Alexander*¹), stonemason, born at Providence, R.I. died 31 Jan. 1727. He married SARAH WOODCOCK, daughter of William and Mary Woodcock. He swore allegiance in May 1682. He settled at Attleborough about 1692, and purchased land from the parents of his wife in 1701 and 1708.

Children, born at Attleborough:

4. i. WILLIAM³, b. 3 Sept. 1692.
- ii. CATHERINE, b. 7 Feb. 1694; m. as his second wife, 2 Feb. 1717, ANDREW STARKEY.
5. iii. ALEXANDER, b. 4 Apr. 1696.
6. iv. JOHN, b. 29 Apr. 1699.
7. v. BARUCH, b. 12 June 1702.
- vi. SARAH, b. 8 Feb. 1703; m. at Providence in 1727, RICHARD ATWELL.
8. vii. JOSEPH, b. in Feb. 1705.

3. JOSEPH² BALCOM (*Alexander¹*), born at Providence, R. I., died in 1733. He married, as her first husband, PHEBE MENDON (?). She married secondly, 19 May 1737, William Bartlett.

He owned land in New Sherborn and Mendon, and appears as a town officer at the latter place in 1717.

His will was made in 1732. The inventory of his estate was £689 3s.

Children:

- i. DEBORAH³, b. at Mendon, 13 Aug. 1712; m. 21 Mar. 1732, BENJAMIN CRARY.
- ii. MARTHA, b. 21 May 1714; m. at Providence, R. I., 10 Aug. 1730, HEZADIAH COMSTOCK.
- iii. PHEBE, b. 19 Sept. 1717; m. at Glocester, R. I., 22 Nov. 1735, JOSEPH COMSTOCK.
- iv. SARAH, b. 4 Apr. 1720; m. at Uxbridge, 27 Feb. 1740. JOSEPH THAYER.
- 9.v. JOSEPH, b. 20 July 1723.
- vi. MARY, b. at Uxbridge, 12 Dec. 1725; d. 4 Apr. 1740.
- 10.vii. SAMUEL, b. at New Sherborn, 10 Mar. 1727.
- 11.viii. ELIJAH, b. at Uxbridge, 26 July 1729.

4. WILLIAM³ BALCOM (*Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 3 Sept. 1692, died there, 30 Mar. 1774. He married, at Attleborough, 3 Oct. 1717, MARY TYLER, born at Mendon in 1689, died at Attleborough, 2 Feb. 1772, daughter of Samuel and Hannah Tyler.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. MARY⁴, (twin) b. 11 Aug. 1718; m. 20 Mar. 1732, JOHN FISHER.
- ii. SARAH, (twin) b. 11 Aug. 1718; d. 9 Oct. 1718.
- iii. WILLIAM, b. 21 June 1723; d. 21 Feb. 1824.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. 4 May 1726; d. 9 June 1726.

- 5 ALEXANDER³ BALCOM (*Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 14 Apr. 1696, died there, 3 Mar. 1759.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. MARTHA⁴, b. 11 Sept. 1726; d. 29 Aug. 1788; m. 28 Dec. 1752, EPHRIAM DEAN.
 - 12. ii. ALEXANDER, b. 25 July 1729.
 - 13. iii. WILLAM, b. 3 Nov. 1734.
 - iv. HANNAH, b. 28 Feb. 1737; m. 30 July —, SOLOMON BATES.
6. JOHN³ BALCOM (*Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 29 Apr. 1699, died after 27 Sept. 1763. (the date of his will. He married, first, at Norton in 1720, MARY GROVER, who died, 4 Jan. 1732; and secondly, at Attleborough, SARAH GROVER, who died at Smithfield, R. I., 19 Nov. 1756, daughter of Andrew and Mary Grover.
He married, at Needham, 14 May 1725, MARTHA OCKINGTON, born in 1697, died 31 July 1781.

Children by first wife, born at Attleborough:

- 14. i. JOHN⁴, b. in July 1720.
- ii. MARY, b. 14 Dec. 1722; m. 23 May 1751, JOHN FISHER.
- iii. ABIGAIL, b. 23 June 1726; m. 18 May 1749, EBENEZER SHORT.
- iv. JACOB, b. 29 Sept. 1728; probably died before his father.
- v. SARAH, b. 14 Feb. 1730; d. 19 Nov. 1766; m. 13 Dec. SIMEON BABBITT, b. in Oct. 1721, son of Seth and Sarah (Crossman) Babbitt.

Children by second wife, born at Attleborough:

- 15. vi. SAMUEL, b. 31 Aug. 1734.
- vii. BERSHEBA, b. 18 Feb. 1735; d. 12 Dec. 1815; m. (1) 13 Feb. 1762, DANIEL TIFFANY, b. 8 May 1736, son of Samuel and Mary (Richardson) Tiffany; and m. (2) 24 Dec. 17—, BENJAMIN LINDSEY.
- viii. EASTER, b. 6 Aug. 1737; probably d. young.
- 16. ix. DANIEL, b. 4 Mar. 1739.
- x. ZILPHA, b. 21 Feb. 1741; m. 6 Aug. 1763, ICHABOD SNOW.
- xi. ANNIE, b. 16 Sept. 1743; m. 30 Jan. 1772, JOHN WITHERELL.
- xii. HANNAH, b. 1 June 1746; probably d. prior to 178: m. (1) 1 June 1771, SAMUEL TIFFANY, and m. (2) THOMAS

NORTON.

- xiii. LUCY, b. 1 May 1748; m. at Grafton, as his first wife,
BENJAMIN GROVER.

7. BARUCH³ BALCOM (*Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 12 June 1702, died at Bath Town, Beaumont, County, N. C. He married, at Attleborough, 16 Dec. 1739, (*pub.*) PATIENCE BLAKE.

Children:

- 17.i. ICHABOD⁴, b. 26 Jan. 1739.
ii. PATIENCE, (twin) b. 2 Apr. 1741.
iii. PRUDENCE, (twin) b. 2 Apr. 1741.

8. JOSEPH³ BALCOM (*Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 23 Feb. 1705, died there, 17 Dec. 1787. He married, there, 21 Mar. 1733, MARY PARMENTER.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. MARY⁴, b. 20 Jan. 1735; m. 5 Sept. 1755, STEPHEN ANDERSON.
ii. SARAH, b. 5 Dec. 1736; m. 26 Mar. 1763, EPHRIAM HALL, JR.
iii. JOSEPH, b. 4 Nov. 1739; d. unm. 20 Jan. 1805.
18.iv. NATHAN, b. 1 Jan. 1741.
v. PHEBE, b. 11 Oct. 1744; m. 28 Sept. 1765, ZEPHANIAH ROSS.
vi. RACHEL, b. 11 Oct. 1746; d. 24 Aug. 1833; m. 25 Dec. 1783, as his third wife, EBENEZER BLAKE, b. 9 Oct. 1730, d. at Wrentham, 11 Sept. 1819, son of Ebenezer and Patronella Blake.
vii. REBEKAH, b. 26 May 1749; m. 29 Mar. 1773, WILLIAM CLARK.
19.viii. ELIJAH, b. 2 Sept. 1752.

9. JOSEPH³ BALCOM (*Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Mendon, 20 July 1723. He married, at Sutton, 29 Dec. 1748, HANNAH WHEELER.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. HANNAH⁴, (twin) b. 1 Apr. 1750; m. (*int*) 17 July 1770,

JONATHAN MARSH.

- ii. MARY, (twin) b. 1 Apr. 1750; m. (*int*) 25 Jan. 1768, PAUL WHITE.
- iii. LUCY, b. 16 May 1752; d. in infancy.
- iv. MILLY, (twin) b. 20 July 1754; d. 20 July 1754.
- v. LUCY, (twin) b. 20 July 1754; m. 11 Apr. 1772, ELISHA SMITH.
- vi. DEBORAH, b. 12 June 1759; m. 24 Dec. 1782, DENNIS DARLING, b. at Mendon, 20 Feb. 1760, d. about 1790.
- 20.vii. JOSEPH, b. 18 May 1764.

10. SAMUEL³ BALCOM (*Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Uxbridge, 10 Mar. 1727, died about 1783. He married, at Glocester, R. I., 2 Jan. 1745, HANNAH JEPHERSON.

Children, born at Douglas:

- 21.i. SAMUEL⁴, b. 10 Nov. 1746.
- ii. MARY, b. about 1747; d. 13 Feb. 1749.
- iii. MARY, b. 12 July 1748, m. (?) 25 Dec. 1768, PAUL WHITE.
- iv. SUSANNA, b. 3 June 1750; m. 16 June 1777, BENJAMIN ROBBINS.
- 22.v. JOHN, b. 8 Mar. 1752.
- 23.vi. DAVID, b. 26 May 1754.
- 24.vii. BEZALIEL, b. 2 Apr. 1757.
- viii. PHEBE, b. 15 Sept. 1759; m. OLIVER HUNT.
- 25.ix. MOSES, b. 11 Nov. 1761.
- 26.x. AARON, b. 27 Mar. 1764.

11. ELIAS³ BALCOM (*Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Uxbridge, 26 July 1729, died in Worcester County in 1769. He married, at Douglas, 16 June 1752, RUTH CREED.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. MARY⁴, b. 27 Apr. 1753; m. at Mendon, 8 Jan. 1773, SAUL RAMSDELL.
- 27.ii. ELIJAH, b. 5 Apr. 1755.

(*end of third generation*)

12. ALEXANDER⁴ BALCOM (*Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 25 July 1729, died, 7 Mar. 1809. He married, at Norton, 17 Jan. 1750, HANNAH SHEPARDSON, born 29 Dec. 1730, died prior to 5 Jan. 1819.

Children, born at Norton:

- i. HANNAH⁵, b. 11 June 1751; m. 21 June 1769, SAM TIFFANY.
- 28. ii. ELIJAH, b. 6 Aug. 1753.
- 29. iii. DAVID, b. 18 Oct. 1755.
- iv. SARAH, b. 7 Jan. 1758; d. 10 June 1831; m. 17 Nov. 1793, JASON BLAKE.
- v. ALEXANDER, b. 18 Oct. 1759. Both parents provided for him in their wills, should he return, but both stated in their wills that he "has been absent for more than twenty years and unheard from."
- vi. LUCINDA, b. 29 Nov. 1762; m. 21 May 1801, JOSIAH HARVEY.

13. LIEUT. WILLIAM⁴ BALCOM (*Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), a soldier and sailor in the Revolutionary War, born at Attleborough, 3 Nov. 1734, died there, 4 June 1801. He married, at Wrentham, 2 Jan. 1758, CHICKERING SHEPARD, born, 22 Oct. 1738, died 8 Mar. 1814.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. ELIAS⁵, b. 4 Feb. 1759; d. at sea.
- 30. ii. DAVID, b. 26 June 1761.
- 31. iii. JACOB, b. 31 May 1763.
- 32. iv. WILLIAM, b. 20 July 1765.
- 33. v. ENOCH, b. 2 May 1768.
- 34. vi. BENJAMIN, b. 28 June 1771.
- 35. vii. TIMOTHY, b. 31 May 1774.
- viii. LOIS, b. in 1780.
- ix. RUFUS, b. 6 Feb. 1781; d. in 1782.

14. JOHN⁴ BALCOM (*Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 27 July 1720, died prior to 1747.

He married, at Attleborough, 18 May 1742, as her first husband, BETHSHEBA DAGGETT. She married secondly, 27 Feb. 1747, Henry Sweet.

Child:

- i. JOHN⁵, b. about 1743.

15. SAMUEL⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 31 Aug. 1734, died there, 20 Jan. 1810. He married, there, 23 Dec. 1769, (*pub*) SARAH RICHARDSON.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- 36.i. JOHN⁵, b. 25 Nov. 1770.
- ii. SARAH, b. 10 May 1772.
- 37.iii. SAMUEL, b. 9 June 1774.
- 38.iv. OTIS, b. 25 May 1776.
- 39.v. CYRUS, b. 26 Aug. 1780.
- 40.vi. EBENEZER, b. 20 Feb. 1789.
- vii. LUNA, b. 19 Feb. 1790; d. at Pawtucket, R. I., 27 Nov. 1871; m. HANNAH HICKS.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- 1. BENJAMIN C⁶., b. 16 Dec. 1819; d. at Lincoln, R. I., 13 June 1885; m. at Foxborough, 20 Sept. 1846, POLLY KINGMAN WILDE.
- 2. MARIA STANLEY, b. 26 May 1821; d. unm. 31 Jan. 1913.
- 3. CHARLES R., b. about 1827; d. 20 Aug. 1878; m. M. S. —

16. DANIEL⁴ BALCOM (*John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 4 Mar. 1739, died, 20 May 1788. He married, 5 Nov. 1763 (*pub*) REBECCA COBB, born about 1738, died, 6 Dec. 1822.

He was in Captain Richardson's company of the Fourth Regiment at Roxbury in 1775.

Children, born at Attleborough or Rehoboth:

- i. DANIEL⁵, b. 20 July 1765; d. prior to 5 Sept. 1834; m. at Attleborough, 27 Mar. 1792, LYDIA FRENCH.

Child:

1. MATILDA⁶, b. in 1806; d. 14 Oct. 1822.
2. POLLY, m. at Rehoboth, 27 Dec. 1824, DANIEL HUNT.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. 13 May 1767; m. at Norton, 27 May 1788, ELISHA CROSSMAN.
- iii. JACOB, b. 4 May 1769; d. 15 Oct. 1854; m. at Rehoboth, 20 Nov. 1794, MATILDA PERRY.

Child:

1. NANCY⁶, m. at Rehoboth, 24 Sept. 1815, RUFUS PERRY BARROWS.
- 41.iv. JAMES, b. 4 May 1769.
- v. RUTH, b. 20 Oct. 1772; m. 27 Sept. 1792, ABNER DARBY.
- vi. HANNAH, b. 19 July 1775.

17. ICHABOD⁴ BALCOM (*Baruch³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born, 26 Jan. 1710. He married ———.

Child:

- 42.i. THOMAS⁵, m. ———.

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18. NATHAN⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born 1 Jan. 1740. He married, at Roxbury, 12 Jan. 1768, SARAH JEWELL.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. HULDAH⁵, b. 4 June 1768; m. 6 May 1796, SIMEON WRIGHT.
- ii. BETSEY, b. 9 Sept. 1770; d. unm. 27 Feb. 1852.
- 43.iii. JESSE, b. 19 Feb. 1773.
- iv. MATILDA, b. 13 Apr. 1775.
- v. CLOE, b. 15 May 1777; d. 13 Feb. 1804.
- vi. SUSANNA, b. in 1781; m. SETH RICHARDSON.
- 44.vii. JOHN, b. 29 Oct. 1783.
- viii. HANNAH, b. 8 Mar. 1787.

19. ELIJAH⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Attleborough, 2 Sept. 1752, died prior to 7 Jan. 1796. He married, at Attleborough, 12 May 1786, MARCY DAGGETT, born at Attleborough.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. OLIVE⁵, b. 29 July 1787.
- ii. MILLY, b. 25 Oct. 1788.
- 45.iii. EBENEZER, b. 29 Apr. 1790.
- 46.iv. ELIJAH, b. 30 Sept. 1791.
- 47.v. DEXTER, b. 27 Rpr. 1793.
- vi. STEPHEN, b. 2 Oct. 1794.

20. JOSEPH⁴ BALCOM (*Joseph³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), a physician, born at Douglas, 18 May 1764. He married, at Smithfield, R. I., 7 Feb. 1788, PRUDENCE ALDRICH.

Children:

- 48.i. JOHN⁵.
 - 49.ii. JOSEPH, b. in 1806, possibly at Douglas.
 - iii. ALDRICH, b. at Butternut, N. Y.
 - iv. REUBEN, b. 20 Feb. 1808 (?).
- and probably daughters

21. SERGT. SAMUEL⁴ BALCOM (*Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Douglas, 10 Nov. 1746, died, 17 Feb. 1810. He married, at Rochester, 12 June 1766, THANKFUL GRIFFITH, born there, 16 Jan. 1743. daughter of Samuel and Eleanor (Esty) Griffith.

He was in Captain Barth Woodbury's company of Colonel Lend's regiment in 1775. He granted land at Deerfield, 9 Dec. 1794, to Asa Fuller, which deed was witnessed by his son Mark.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. SARAH⁵, b. 12 May 1767.
- ii. ELEANOR, b. 8 Apr. 1769; m. in 1794, SETH COWLES, b. at Hatfield, 16 May 1768, son of Timothy and Rhoda (Bardwell) Cowles.
- 50.iii. MARK, b. 3 June 1771.
- iv. JUDAH, b. 18 Jan. 1773.

- 51.v. LUKE, b. 18 July 1775.
- vi. SUSANNA, b. 29 Oct. 1777.
- vii. HANNAH, b. 4 July 1780.
- 52.viii. SAMUEL, b. in 1782.
- 53.ix. JOHN, b. 4 July 1784.

22. JOHN⁴ BALCOM (*Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born, 8 Mar. 1752, died at Douglas, 6 Oct. 1838. He married, first, at Douglas, 18 Dec. 1776, SARAH CLAFFLIN, and secondly, 16 Aug. 1784, MILLEY LESURE, born in 1764, died at Douglas, 7 May 1812.

He was in Captain Benjamin Wallis' company of Colonel Arnold's regiment in 1775.

Children by first wife, born at Douglas:

- 54.i. ELLIS⁵, b. 28 June 1777.
- ii. PHEBE, b. 28 Jan. 1779; m. 28 Jan. 1802, OLIVER HUNT, b. 14 Jan. 1775, son of Ezekiel and Eunice (Balcom) Hunt.
- iii. BETSEY, b. 3 Apr. 1781; m. 29 May 1799. JOSEPH HUNT.

Children by second wife, born at Douglas:

- 55.iv. JESSE, b. 27 Sept. 1786.
- v. MILLEY, b. 26 Feb. 1788; d. 11 May 1869; m. 3 Sept. 1809, ADOLPHUS TAFT.
- vi. SARAH, b. 17 Sept. 1791; d. 21 Dec. 1866; m. 3 Dec. 1817, JOB KNAPP, b. 18 July 1795, d. 30 July 1840.
- 56.vii. JOHN, b. 9 July 1793.
- viii. SUBMIT, b. 19 Nov. 1795; d. 28 Feb. 1847; m. 3 Dec. 1817, ISRAEL MOORE.
- 57.ix. CLARK, b. 12 Dec. 1799.
- x. AZUBAH, b. Nov. 1797; d. 16 Dec. 1888; m. 16 Oct. 1815, JOHN SUTTON, b. at Rehoboth, 6 Oct. 1795, d. 15 Sept. 1841.
- xi. OLIVE, b. 26 Oct. 1801; d. 23 May 1890; m. 16 Apr. 1821, MOSES KNAPP, b. there, 11 May 1797, d. 29 May 1868.
- 58.xii. JUDSON, b. 15 Jan. 1805.
- 59.xiii. WARREN, b. about 1807.
- xiv. MARIA, b. about 1809; m. 20 Feb. 1831, MORTON SMITH.
- 60.xv. EDWARD, b. 5 Dec. 1811.

23. DAVID⁴ BALCOM (*Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Douglas, 26 May 1754, died there, 18 Sept. 1844. He married, at Douglas, 3 April 1780, MARY HAYWOOD, born at Killingly, Conn., 27 July 1757, died at Douglas, 7 April 1850, daughter of Ebenezer and Dolly Haywood.

He was in Captain Stephen Richardson's company of the Fourth Regiment at Roxbury in 1775.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. SIBYL⁵, b. 2 May 1781; m. 24 June 1801, DAVID WALLIS, b. 16 May 1780, d. 5 July 1854.
61. ii. EBENEZER, b. 14 Apr. 1783.
- iii. DOLLY, b. 20 Jan. 1785; m. 21 Oct. 1804, ISAAC TITUS, who d. at Douglas, 19 June 1830.
- iv. SALLY, b. 9 May 1787; d. in 1869; m. 13 Sept. 1807, ELIJAH SMITH, JR., b. in 1788, d. in 1840
62. v. DAVID, b. 20 Oct. 1789.
- vi. POLLY, b. 19 Jan. 1792; d. 13 Apr. 1861; m. 19 Apr. 1812, JONATHAN WALLIS.
- vii. LUCY, b. 21 Mar. 1794; m. CHESTER MORSE.
- viii. CHARLOTTE, b. 22 May 1797; d. 8 Dec. 1863; m. 28 Nov. 1818, TIMOTHY WALLIS, b. 14 Oct. 1791, d. 17 Aug. 1850.

24. BEZALIEL⁴ BALCOM (*Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Douglas, 2 April 1757, died, 4 Mar. 1834. He married, 13 May 1778, JEMINA MORSE, who died, 25 Sept. 1837.

He was in Captain Benjamin Reed's company of Colonel John Reed's regiment of Worcester County soldiers in 1780.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. ANNA⁵, b. 2 May 1780; m. 16 Feb. 1802, JOHN LAMB.
63. ii. AMOS, b. 19 Feb. 1802.
- iii. REUBEN, b. 21 Mar. 1787; d. 20 Feb. 1803.
- iv. MABEL, b. 15 Aug. 1787; m. (*int*) 11 June 1805, SAMUEL CHASE, b. 22 Feb. 1783, d. at Wilmington, Vt. 7 Nov. 1854

son of David and Jemina (Humes) Chase.

64.v. PETER, b. 5 Mar. 1793.

65.vi MOSES, b. 2 July 1796.

vii. SYBAL, b. 30 Mar. 1799; d. 26 June 1858; m. in 1822.

NAHUM COOK, b. at Bellingham, 28 Mar. 1798, son of Ziba Cook.

25. MOSES⁴ BALCOM (*Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 11 Nov. 1761. He married, 2 Jan. 1787, CHARITY STEARNS.

Children:

i. MOSES⁵, b. 8 May 1789.

ii. ALLYTHINA, b. about 1790; m. 7 Sept. 1815, ADMIRAL ALBEE.

26. AARON⁴ BALCOM (*Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), a soldier in Shay's Rebellion, born at Douglas, 27 Mar. 1764. He married, at Douglas, 18 Aug. 1796, ELIZABETH REIDEL, born there in 1769, died there, 4 Sept. 1846, daughter of John and Polly Reidel.

Children, born at Douglas:

i. ESTHER⁵, b. 27 Mar. 1797.

ii. SAMUEL, who d. 3 Dec. 1852.

iii. HARRY, b. 21 Aug. 1800; d. unm. at Douglas, 6 Mar. 1854.

27. CAPT. ELIJAH⁴ BALCOM (*Elijah³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Uxbridge, 5 April 1755. He married, first, at Mendon, 13 May 1777, (*pub*) CAROLINE RAMSDELL, of Mendon, and secondly, at Haverhill, N.H. about 1782, (*int*) LYDIA MARTIN, and thirdly, at Gilmanton, N.H., 25 Mar. 1812, JUDITH AVERY.

Children:

66.i. ABRAHAM⁵ (?).

67.ii. JOHN, b. 30 Sept. 1789.

iii. GEORGE (?).

iv. SARAH, b. in June 1798; d. 21 Aug. 1823; m. — HORNER.

(*end of fourth generation*)

28. CAPT. ELIJAH⁵ BALCOM (*Alexander⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Norton, 6 Aug. 1753, died prior to 2 Feb. 1819. He married, at Mansfield, 12 Feb. as her second husband, JEMINA SKINNER, born about 1756, died, 8 Aug. 1839.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. FANNY⁶, b. 24 Dec. 1780; m. ———.
- 68.ii. ALEXANDER, b. 14 Sept. 1783; m. MELANSA BUCKLIN COBB.

29. DAVID⁵ BALCOM (*Alexander⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Norton, 17 Oct. 1755, died at Harlem, Me., 5 Oct. 1805. He married, there, 27 Mar. 1780, JANE PULLING, who died at Taunton, 29 Sept. 1802.

Children, born at Norton:

- i. MILLY⁶, b. 16 June 1782.
- ii. ALMA, b. 21 Oct. 1783.
- 69.iii. LEONARD, b. 6 June 1785; m. HANNAH MOORE (MORSE?).
- iv. PEDDY, b. 3 Aug. 1787.
- v. LEAFA.

30. DAVID⁵ BALCOM (*William⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Attleborough, 26 June 1761, died at Seekonk, 6 June 1816. He married, first, at Attleborough, FANNY PHILLIPS, and secondly, at Providence, R. I., 27 Feb. 1805, ZIMRODIA SABIN, born there in Feb. 1775, died there, 21 June 1869, daughter of James and Nancy Sabin.

He was in Captain Moses Knapp's company of Colonel Joseph Reed's regiment from April 27 to Aug. 1775.

Children by first wife, born at Seekonk:

- i. CALEB⁶, b. in Aug. 1781; d. 19 June 1848; m. at Norton, 31 Mar. 1800, ABIGAIL ANDREWS, b. in 1781, d. at Seekonk, 12 May 1827.

Child, born at Norton:

1. ELMIRA⁷, b. 17 July 1803; d. unm. at North Providence, R. I., 13 Jan. 1871.
- ii. CHICKERING, b. in 1787; d. 19 Apr. 1783.
- iii. TAFT, b. about 1787; d. unm. at North Providence, R. I., 18 Dec. 1814.
- iv. CHARLES, b. in 1789; d. in 1791.
- 70.v. ALFRED, b. 3 Oct. 1793; m. NANCY BOURNE (BOWEN?).

31. JACOB⁵ BALCOM (*William⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 31 May 1763, died, 29 Apr. 1839. He married, at Walpole, 30 June 1785, TRYPHENA EVERETT, born in 1764, died, 8 May 1857, daughter of Joseph and Keziah (Ware) Everett.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. NANCY⁶, b. 17 June 1786; m. at Weymouth, REV. SYLVESTER BUCKLIN.
- ii. BETSEY, b. 15 Apr. 1790; d. 9 June 1822; m. 1 July 1813, as his first wife, REV. WILLIAM TYLER, b. 7 Jan. 1789, d. at Auburndale, 25 Sept. 1875, son of Ebenezer and Mary (French) Tyler.
- iii. EVERETT, b. in Sept. 1796; d. unm. 10 Dec. 1823. A.B., 1817, Brown Univ. Attorney-at-law.
- iv. ORVILLE SHEPARD, b. 5 Aug. 1805; d. 16 June 1857; m. at Pawtucket, 26 Aug. 1840, SUSAN A. PITCHER.

32. WILLIAM⁵ BALCOM (*William⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), a sailor in the Revolutionary War, born at Attleborough, 20 July 1765, died, 27 Dec. 1842. He married, at Attleborough, NANCY CAPRON, born in Dec. 1768, died at Providence, R. I., 16 Sept. 1859, daughter of Elisha and Abigail Capron.

He was listed as "boy" on the ship *Tartar* commanded by Captain John Cathcart.

Children:

- 71.i. ELIAS⁶, b. at Attleborough, 4 July 1793; m. ABBY HUSSEY.

- 72.ii WILLIAM TODD, b. at Cumberland, R. I., 3 Sept. 1795; m. ELIZA DOTY THOMAS.
- iii. BEEBE CAPRON, b. at Attleborough, 3 May 1798; m. at Cumberland, R. I. in 1818, GEORGE ARNOLD, b. there, 25 Nov. 1791, d. 11 Mar. 1878.
- 73.iv. ELISHA SMITH, b. at Cumberland, R. I., 3 June 1803; m. (1) LYDIA JILLSON, and (2) CLARA BLAKE.
- v. ABIGAIL MAKEPIECE, b. 7 Apr. 1806; m. 8 Oct. 1834, HENRY AUGUSTUS HOWLAND, b. 8 Aug. 1806.
- vi. NANCY ANN, b. 29 Mar. 1809; d. 27 Dec. 1843; m. OTIS LOVETT.

33. ENOCH⁵ BALCOM (*William⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 2 May 1768, died, 8 Aug. 1808. He married, at Attleborough, 19 Mar. 1795, SALLY BISHOP.

Children, born at Norton:

- i. ENOCH⁶, (?) b. in 1797; d. prior to his father.
- ii. NAAMEN, (NORMAN?) b. 17 June 1803; d. in Apr. 1828.

34. COL. BENJAMIN⁵ BALCOM (*William⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 28 June 1771, died in Aug. 1831. He married, at Attleborough, 16 May 1793, MARTHA RICHARDSON, born in 1771, died, 16 Dec. 1836.

He was a Representative from Attleborough to the General Court for the years 1811, 1812 and 1813.

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. BENJAMIN⁶, b. 10 Apr. 1795; d. 22 Nov. 1835; m. at Providence, R. I., 4 July 1822, BETSEY SWEETLAND. For many years he kept a tavern at East Attleborough.
- 74.ii. FRANK BAYLES, b. 6 Aug. 1801; m. (1) ABIGAIL NEWELL, and (2) HANNAH HOLBROOK.

35. TIMOTHY⁵ BALCOM (*William⁴, Alexander³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 31 May 1774, died

in 1815. He married, first, SALLY FISHER, born in 1775, died in 1800, and secondly, as her first husband, MERCY THATCHER, born, 16 Feb. 1783, daughter of Peter and Nanne (Tyler) Thatcher. She married, secondly, Ebenezer Tiffany of Pawtucket, R. I.

Child by first wife:

- i. CLARISSA⁶, b. 26 Dec. 1799; d. in 1807.

Child by second wife:

- ii. FERDINAND FISHER, b. 7 Apr. 1806; m. LOUISA A. ———, who d. at Providence, R. I., 28 Mar. 1878, "aged 69 years"
Child, born at North Providence, R. I:
1. SARAH J⁷, b. 21 Jan. 1836; d. there, unm. 8 Nov. 1860.

36. BRIG. GEN. JOHN⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the War of 1812, born at Attleborough, 25 Nov. 1770, died, 20 Sept. 1832. He married, first, at Norton, 22 Apr. 1795, ABIGAIL SMITH, born, 29 Apr. 1771, died, 4 Oct. 1822, and secondly, at Portland, Me., 13 Sept. 1824, MARY McLELLAN, born in 1788, died, 9 Nov. 1866.

Children by first wife:

- i. ABIGAIL GILBERT⁶, b. at Norton, 10 Apr. 1796; d. 10 June 1857; m. BRYANT P. STEVENSON.
- ii. JOHN ADAMS, b. 3 Jan. 1798; d. at Portland, Me., 1 Mar. 1863; m. MARY JANE (BALKAM?), who d. at Portland, Me., 5 Feb. 1884. He was a United States Customs Officer stationed at Eastport and later at Portland, Me.

Children, born at Eastport, Me:

1. HANNAH ABIGAIL⁷, b. 5 July 1825; d. unm. at Portland, Me., 23 June 1853.
2. CHARLOTTE BREWER, b. 29 Oct. 1826; d. 27 Dec. 1851;
m. JOHN A. WHEELER.
3. FRANCES MARY, b. 21 Nov. 1830; d. 22 Oct. 1831.
4. JOHN EDWIN, b. 31 May 1833; d. 15 Aug. 1834.
5. MARY JANE, b. 18 July 1835; d. 26 July 1835.

- iii. GEORGE WA:HINGTON, b. at Milton, 17 Jan. 1800; d. unm. 3 Nov. 1822.
- 75.iv. LABAN SMITH, b. at Robbinston, Me., 22 Dec. 1802; m. ALMIRA DURKEE.
- 76.v. GILBERT, b. 4 Oct. 1804; m. SUSAN (DUTCH) BREWER.
- 77.vi. CYRUS, b. 8 Aug. 1806; m. ADELINE TOWNSEND DEMING.
- vii. MARY, b. 10 Apr. 1808; d. unm. 6 Mar. 1827.
- viii. JAMES MADISON, b. 13 Mar. 1810; d. 21 Mar. 1863; m. in 1838, HARRIET PALMER, b. at S. Berwick, Me. in 1818, d. in Allegheny Co. Penn. in Mar. 1868, daughter of Robinson Palmer. A member of the Maine legislature in 1850.
Children, born at Robbinston, Me:
 - 1. FRANCES PALMER⁷, b. 23 July 1839; m. SOLOMON SCHOYER.
 - 2. LUCY, b. 1 May 1844; d. in Jan. 1898; m. H. S. CAMPBELL. (*no children*)
 - 3. MARY ALICE, b. 7 June 1846; d. unm. at Williamsburg, Penn., 3 Jan. 1913.
 - 4. JENNIE H., b. in 1848; m. NATHAN WILLIAMS.
- 78.ix. URIAH, b. 27 Mar. 1812; m. (1) MARTHA M. PRINCE; and m. (2) ANNE S. LONGFELLOW. A Congregational minister.

Children by second wife, born at Robbinston, Me:

- 79.x. FREDERICK GEORGE, b. 22 June 1827; m. SUSAN M. BREWER.
 - 80.xi. EDWARD HENRY, b. 11 Jan. 1827; m. LEONORA A. HARRIS.
 - xii. JANE McLELLAN, b. 25 June 1828; d. 5 Nov. 1866; m. JAMES McNEIL.
 - xiii. HORATIO BALCH, b. 10 Dec. 1829; d. 3 Nov. 1832.
 - xiv. ELIZABETH GRIFFITH, b. 15 Dec. 1831; d. unm. 29 Nov. 1851.
37. SAMUEL⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 9 June 1774, died at Norton, 8 Nov. 1855. He married, ABIGAIL KEITH, born at Norton, in Jan. 1775, died there, 25 Apr. 1855.

Children, born at Norton:

- i. ABIGAIL⁶, b. 18 Mar. 1798; m. 25 Jan. 1824, NATHANIEL SMITH.
- 81.ii. ANSEL, b. 8 July 1800; m. SARAH HOWLAND TRIPP.
- iii. BETSEY, b. 27 Feb. 1803; d. 1 May 1805.

- iv. FANNY, b. 10 Feb. 1805; m. 5 Nov. 1822, DANIEL SHAW.
- v. HANNAH, b. 30 Sept. 1807; m. 25 Mar. 1837, PEREZ FOSTER.
- vi. BETSEY, b. 8 Feb. 1811; m. ——— RANDALL.
- vii. HARRIETT, b. 20 Oct. 1815; m. 27 Sept. 1843, CHARLES ROGERS.

38. OTIS⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 25 Mar. 1776. He married, ELIZABETH FULLER.

Children:

- 82.i. OTIS FULLER⁶, b. in New Hampshire, 6 Apr. 1805; m. CATHERINE FIE.
- ii. CYRUS, m. MARIA STEDMAN.

Child:

- 1. CYRUS⁷, b. in 1858; d. at Clayton, N. Y., 19 Aug. 1889; m. LILA J. EDMONDS, b. at Clayton, N. Y. in 1860, d. there, 22 Apr. 1885, daughter of William H. and Delilah Edmonds.

Child, born at Clayton, N. Y:

- (i) ———⁸, (*daughter*) b. 17 Apr. 1885.

39. CYRUS⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 26 Aug. 1780, died 5 Feb. 1841. He married, first, at Dorchester, 23 Jan. 1803, POLLY POPE, born there, 1 July 1782, and secondly, at Dorchester, 12 Apr. 1826, REBECCA W. PRESTON, born there, 22 Feb. 1798, died there, 24 Nov. 1869, daughter of Edward and Rebecca W. Preston.

Children by first wife, born at Dorchester:

- i. MARTHA⁶, b. 25 Apr. 1804; d. about 1856; m. JOHN ROGERS.
- ii. MARY POPE, b. 31 July 1805; m. GEORGE M. NEWELL.
- 83.iii. ELIJAH POPE, b. 27 1808; m. ANN LOUISE CHASE JONES.
- 84.iv. CYRUS, b. 11 June 1810; m. SUSAN C. CLAPP.
- v. SARAH, b. 25 Sept. 1820; d. in infancy.

Children by second wife, born at Dorchester:

- 85.vi. WILLIAM HENRY, b. 9 Jan. 1827; m. SUSAN S. STOWELL.

- vii. ELIZABETH G., b. 26 Jan. 1830; d. 19 May 1849; m. 22 Dec. 1846, SAMUEL B. HILDRETH, b. in 1825, son of Samuel and Sophia Hildreth.
- viii. MARGARET CONSTANCE, b. 23 Oct. 1832; m. JONATHAN HAYWOOD.
- ix. ANN CAROLINE, b. 8 July 1835; m. JAMES SHAW.
- x. JOHN C., b. 4 Mar. 1840; d. in Mar. 1841.

NOTE: Was Cyrus (*above*) married more than twice? A Sarah Hazen has been suggested as the first wife.

40. EBENEZER⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), a soldier in the War of 1812, born at Attleborough, 20 Feb. 1789. He married, ABIGAIL GOFF, of Rehoboth.

Children:

- 86.i. EBENEZER⁶, b. at Attleborough, 8 Nov. 1819; m. ROBIE L. RATHBONE.
- ii. GEORGE HENRY, b. 20 Jan. 1821.
- iii. SAMUEL.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. at Rehoboth, 4 June 1824.
- 87.v. ALFRED OTIS, b. at Dorchester, 9 May 1826 ; m. SARAH A. MARTIN.
- vi. NANCY, m. EPHRIAM POTE, b. at Smithfield, 14 Apr. 1850.
- 88.vii. JOHN, b. at Attleborough, 12 Jan. 1830; m. (1) SARAH CLARK; and m. (2) MARY E. (STRICKLAND) STANLEY.
- 89.viii. LEVI NELSON, b. 8 May 1834; m. ABBIE E. JENNISON.

41. JAMES⁵ BALCOM (*Daniel⁴, John³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 4 May 1769, died 10 June 1841. He married, at Taunton, HANNAH CROSSMAN, born, 12 Aug. 1771, died, 28 Jan. 1859.

Children, born at Taunton:

- i. PRISCILLA⁶, b. 8 Aug. 1799; m. LEONARD WILMARTH.
- 90.ii. JAMES, b. 11 June 1793; m. (1) SALVA DAVISON; and (2) HARRIET BICKNELL; and (3) VASHTI (GLEASON) JENKINS.
- 91.iii. WILLIAM, b. 20 June 1795; m. (1) FANNIE DOUGLAS; and (2) ELEANOR NELSON.

- 92.iv. DANIEL, b. 31 Oct. 1797; m. JULIA WILMARTH.
- v. HANNAH, b. 4 Oct. 1805; m. ROBBINS DOUGLAS.

42. THOMAS⁵ BALCOM (*Ichabod⁴, Baruch³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born ———. He married ———.

Children:

- 93.i. ICHABOD⁶, b. about 1775. m. NANCY SASSER.
- 94.ii. ALEXANDER, b. after 1776; m. ———.

43. JESSE⁵ BALCOM (*Nathan⁴, Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 19 Feb. 1773. He married, first, 13 Oct. 1792, (*int*) MARGARET GETCHELL, born in 1770, probably at Vassalboro, Me., died in 1813, and secondly, OLIVE EVERETT, born 9 Apr. 1786, daughter of Lieut. Levi and Lucy (Titus) Everett, and thirdly, ELIZA HARTFORD.

Children by first wife, born at Vassalboro, Me:

- 95.i. DAVID⁶, b. in 1792; m. (1) ELIZABETH CARPENTER; and (2) BETSEY DERBY.
- 96.ii. WILLIAM, b. 3 Jan. 1795; m. SOPHIA LACY.
- iii. SALLY, b. in 1801; d. at Pawtucket, R.I. in 1880; m. EZEKIEL CORNELL.
- 97.iv. JOHN LEE, b. 5 Aug. 1805; m. CALISTA (COFFIN?) GRAY.
- v. MARY, b. 15 Oct. 1812; m. LORENZO MORSE, of Attleborough.

Children by second wife:

- vi. LEVI E., b. at Attleborough, 24 Dec. 1817; d. at Lowell, 15 June 1850; m. at Lowell, 18 Apr. 1841, as her first husband, LOIS ROGERS. She m. secondly Albert Balch.
- 98.vii. GEORGE W., b. at Sutton, N.H., 28 Sept. 1823; m. JANE C. GADSBY.
- viii. EVERETT, b. at Vasselboro, Me; probably d. young.
- 99.ix. JESSE, b. at Sutton, N.H; m. MARY C. HEDGES.
- x. JULIA ANN, b. about 1830; m. at Lowell, 7 Sept. 1845, JEREMIAH HEDGES, b. at Stratford, Vt. about 1819.
- xi. LUCINDA, m. at Nashua, N.H., 9 June 1849, THOMAS

SCOTCHBURN of Baltimore, Md.

Child by third wife, born at Lowell:

- xii. SOPHIA, b. in 1840; m. at Fall River, 14 Nov. 1861, JOHN F. THORP, b. there in 1837, son of John and Ellen Thorp.

44. JOHN⁵ BALCOM (*Nathan⁴, Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 29 Oct. 1783. He married, at Attleborough, 20 May 1808, SARAH EVERETT, born, 22 Feb. 1785, died, 27 Apr. 1876, daughter of William Everett.

Children:

100. i. JOHN EVERETT⁶, b. at Attleborough, 17 Dec. 1808; m. (1) RHODA STILLWELL, and (2) ———.
 101. ii. JESSE, b. 23 Aug. 1810; m. MARTHA REED.
 102. iii. WILLIAM A., b. at Lebanon Springs, N. Y., 11 Aug. 1813; m. ——— (REED?).
 iv. SARAH ANN, b. at Stephentown, N. Y., 25 Apr. 1816; m. WILLIAM MOORE.
 103. v. HIRAM, b. 31 Dec. 1818; m. CATHERINE VANCE.
 vi. EMILY, b. 3 Sept. 1821; d. 11 Sept. 1848; m. JAMES STILLWELL.
 vii. CAROLINE, b. 2 May 1824; m. JOSEPH KINGSLEY.
 104. viii. GEORGE W., b. at Palmyra, N. Y., 29 May 1827; m. ANN LANNING.

45. EBENEZER⁵ BALCOM (*Elijah⁴, Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 29 Apr. 1790, died at Maritta, Ga., 15 Feb. 1844. He married, 5 July 1812, BETSEY STARKEY, born 10 July 1791, died, 19 Oct. 1836.

Children:

- i. ANN ELIZABETH⁶, b. 5 July 1813; d. 5 Mar. 1844; m. at Waterville, Me., WALTER B. GETCHELL, b. at Winslow, Me., 20 Sept. 1807.
 ii. BETSEY MINERVA, b. 24 Apr. 1815; d. unm. 18 Dec. 1831.
 iii. ANTOINETTE MIRANDA, b. 24 Apr. 1817; m. (1) CHARLES BATES; and (2) HARTWELL KENDALL.

- iv. OLIVE THOMAS, b. 27 Aug. 1819; d. 16 Feb. 1831.
- 105. v. ALBERT THOMAS, b. 1 Dec. 1821; m. TILLY ANN HAYDEN.
- vi. EBENEZER DAGGETT, b. 13 Jan. 1824; d. in Boston, 21 June 1851; m. at Stonington, Conn., 5 Nov. 1846, HARRIET C. ROBINSON.

Child, born at Waterford, Me:

- 1. LUCIUS⁷, b. in May 1847; d. in Boston 15 Apr. 1849.
- vii. WILLARD, b. 25 Dec. 1825; d. 27 July 1827.
- viii. LUCIA, (*twin*) b. 4 Dec. 1828; d. 27 July 1829.
- ix. LUCIUS, (*twin*) b. 4 Dec. 1828; d. 2 Apr. 1838.

46. ELIJAH⁵ BALCOM (*Elijah⁴, Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 30 Sept. 1791, died in Wyoming County, N. Y. He married, first PATIENCE POND (?), and secondly, MARY ROUNDS (?).

Children, born at Attleborough:

- i. ERI⁶, b. 10 Mar. 1821; m. H. M. ———.
- ii. PARTHENIA.

47. DEXTER⁵ BALCOM (*Elijah⁴, Joseph³, Alexander², Alexander¹*), born at Attleborough, 27 Apr. 1793. He married, first, at Dighton, 7 Sept. 1813, DESIRE DILSON, of Wrentham, and secondly, MILLY ROUNDS.

Children, born at Strykersville, N. Y:

- i. CHARLES E⁶.
- ii. EMILY M.
- iii. BAYLIS M., m. MYRA RICHARDSON.
- iv. HARRIET N.
- v. NELSON.
- 106. vi. ELIJAH M., m. MARY E. KLOCK.
- vii. HENRIETTA, m. ——— PARKER.
- viii. CORDELIA M., m. ——— MAYNARD.
- ix. WESTOL S.

48. JOHN⁵ BALCOM (*Joseph⁴, Joseph³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born probably at Douglas. He married, MARGARET

GWILT (QUETT?).

Children:

- i. LUCIUS⁶, b. at Masonville, N. Y. about 1831; m. JULIA MILLER.
 - ii. GEORGE L., b. at S. Onandagua, N. Y. in 1833; E. A. JEFFRIES
 - iii. ALBERT N., b. at Cedarvale, N. Y. about 1845; m. EURETTA BRONSON.
 - iv. JOHN J., b. at Scott, N. Y. in 1846; m. EDNA A. BEEBE.
- and probably other children

49. JOSEPH⁵ BALCOM (*Joseph¹, Joseph³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Butternut, N. Y. in 1806. He married, SOPHIA CABLE, born at Plattsburg, N. Y. in 1802.

Children, born at Hume, N. Y:

- 107.i. HENRY CABLE⁶, b. 18 Mar. 1833; m. (1) SARAH STEVENS; and (2) ———.
 - ii. CHARLES CARROLL, b. in 1837; d. in 1851.
 - iii. ABIGAIL, m. SETH H. PRATT.
- and possibly several daughters

50. MARK⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 13 June 1771. He married, at Douglas, 29 Dec. 1793, SALLY TILLEY.

Children:

- 108.i. SETH⁶, b. at Douglas, 4 Oct. 1795; m. SALLY WARREN.
- 109.ii. CHESTER, b. 5 May 1797; m. ELIZABETH JOHNSON.
- 110.iii. SAMUEL, b. 16 Mar. 1799; m. CAROLINE POWELL.
- 111.iv. JAMES, b. 2 Sept. 1801; m. (1) MARY ———; and (2) MARY ANN SKINNER.
- 112.v. WINSLOW, b. in Boston, (?) 10 July 1804; m. BETSEY ELLIOT
- vi. BETSEY, b. at Lanesborough; m. at New Lebanon, N. Y., 15 Feb. 1824, WILLIAM MARTIN, b. at Lanesborough.
- 113.vii. JEFFERSON, b. 15 Feb. 1809; m. RUTH MOREY.
- 114.viii. MADISON, m. HANNAH STANTON.
- ix. ELECTA.

- 115. x. JOHN FRANCIS, b. 19 June 1815; m. MARY HOWDER.
- xi. NANCY, m. at New Lebanon, N. Y., 4 Aug. 1837, JONATHAN W. BROWN.
- xii. SARAH M.

51. LUKE⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 7 July 1775. He married, first, at Hatfield, 4 Nov. 1796, ELIZABETH DOTY, born in Glasgow, Scotland, and secondly LUCY (SHEPARDSON?) (WELCH?) (MALLORY?).

Children by first wife:

- i. LUCINDA⁶, b. at Douglas, 24 June 1796; m. ——— SPRAGUE.
- ii. THOMAS, b. in 1797; d. at E. Haddam, Conn., 8 Mar. 1830; m. ELIZABETH BAKER, b. in 1797, d. at E. Haddam, Conn., 4 Jan. 1850.
- 116. iii. LUKE DOTY, b. at Heath, 18 Mar. 1800; m. (1) CELINA AMIDON; and (2) CYNTHIA HERR.
- 117. iv. WILLIAM ROMANZEY, who m. (1) DOLLIE LARRABEE; and (2) LYDIA REDPATH.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. at Williamstown in 1807; d. in 1879; m. in 1826, ZIBA GOODELL.
- vi. HORACE, b. about 1816; d. at Bennington, Vt., 11 Jan. 1898.

Children by second wife:

- 118. vii. SAMUEL M., b. at New Ashford, 22 Jan. 1818; m. MARY JONES.
- viii. ELIAS M., b. at New Ashford, 19 Jan. 1819.
- 119. ix. ELI, b. 24 Apr. 1821; m. (1) HANNAH A. BROWN; and (2) SARAH J. THOMAS.
- x. MOSES, b. about 1822; d. at Dewittville, N. Y., 9 Jan. 1903.
- 120. xi. DENNIS, who m. HARRIET ALGER.
- xii. NATHANIEL, b. in Sept. 1828; d. at Pownal, Vt., 14 Sept. 1852.

52. SAMUEL⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas in 1782., died there, 3 Dec. 1852. He married, there, 26 Mar. 1809, SUBMIT GODDARD STONE, born at Shrewsbury, 6 July 1788, died at Douglas, 23 Oct. 1852, daughter of Rev. Isaac and

Susan (Goddard) Stone.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. SARAH GODDARD⁶, b. 14 May 1810; d. in 1895; m. (1) R— CARPENTER; and (2) ROYAL CUMMINGS.
- ii. SAMUEL, b. 18 Jan. 1813; d. there, 21 Dec. 1890; m. (1) MARY K. CARPENTER; and (2) NANCY WHITING.
- iii. SUBMIT, b. 25 Aug. 1815; m. 10 Apr. 1834, EDWIN CROFOOT.
121. iv. JAMES HUBBARD, b. 23 Dec. 1817; m. LOIS D. MUMFORD.
- v. MARY A., b. 10 Dec. 1820; m. 11 June 1851, as his second wife, GEORGE W. MONAHAN, b. at Willimantic, Conn. in 1812, son of Adam and Mary Monahan.
122. vi. AUGUSTUS, b. 4 May 1823; m. CAROLINE A. MUMFORD.
123. vii. EDWIN, b. 20 Aug. 1825; m. (1) ———; and (2) SARAH J. BRIAN.
- viii. SUSAN S., b. 27 Mar. 1828; m. 1 Oct. 1874, as his second wife, ABNER L. BATES, b. at Canton, Conn. in 1833, d. 15 June 1907, son of Orren and Lydia Bates.
- ix. ISAAC STONE, b. 14 Feb. 1830; d. 7 Dec. 1898; m. (1) ANNA M. PARKHURST; b. in 1833, d. at Batavia, Ill., 19 Mar. 1880, daughter of Nelson and Anna (Jones) Parkhurst; and m. (2) MINERVA M. LOVETT, b. at Douglas about 1834, d. at Worcester, 15 Apr. 1884, daughter of Samuel and Lucinda Lovett; and m. (3) at Douglas, as her second husband, JULIA A. (REYNOLDS) ALDEN, b. at Simprowich, N. Y., 18 Feb. 1833, d. at Douglas, 15 Oct. 1907, daughter of William and Roxanna (Clapp) Reynolds.

53. JOHN⁵ BALCOM (*Samuel⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 4 July 1784, died at Hamburg, N. Y., 17 Mar. 1832. He married, at Deerfield, 19 Nov. 1805, ABIGAIL AMSDELL, born at Pelham, 16 Sept. 1784, 2 Dec. 1862.

Children:

124. i. JOSHUA GRIFFIN⁶, b. at Pelham, 17 Sept. 1805; m. ABIGAIL —.
125. ii. PHILO ADAMS, b. at Eton, N. Y., 18 July 1807; m. MARY ANN LARKIN.
- iii. JOHN AMSDELL, b. at Lester, N. Y., 18 July 1809.
- iv. SUSANNAH A., b. at Hamburg, N. Y., 3 Dec. 1813.

- v. ABIJAH WILSON, b. at Middleburg, N. Y., 25 Aug. 1816; m.
(1) DORCAS ROMANS; and (2) FANNIE J. COATSWORTH.
- vi. AARON JAMES, b. in Buffalo, N. Y., 13 Jan. 1818.
- vii. LAURINE CLOUGH, b. at Hamburg, N. Y., 20 Mar. 1820.
- viii. LOUISE, (*twin*) b. 28 Feb. 1823.
- ix. ANN ELIZA, (*twin*) b. 28 Feb. 1823.
- x. ABBY JANE, b. 3 Dec. 1828.

54. ELLIS⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 28 June 1777. He married, at Douglas, 26 May 1799, EUNICE HUNT, born 21 Jan. 1781, daughter of Ezekiel and Eunice (White) Hunt.

Children, born at Douglas:

- 126. i. SUMNER⁶, b. 23 Sept. 1799; m. LAURA KNAPP.
- ii. POLLY, b. about 1801; m. 30 Nov. 1824 (*pub*) DANIEL HUNT, b. 6 Sept. 1801, son of Oliver and Hannah (Knapp) Hunt.
- iii. EUNICE, b. 23 Feb. 1803; m. 1 Dec. 1819, WALTER DUDLEY.
- iv. AMOS, b. 14 May 1809; d. 21 Nov. 1834.
- v. RELIEF, b. 3 Aug. 1810; m. 1 July 1830, JEREMIAH B. LUTHER

55. JESSE⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, ———, died, there, 6 Mar. 1856. He married, there, 16 Sept. 1810, RUTH KNAPP, born, 26 July 1792, died at Douglas, 9 Feb. 1875.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. BETSEY WILSON⁶, b. 30 Nov. 1810; d. 16 Aug. 1813.
- 127. ii. ESTUS, b. 20 Dec. 1814; m. PHILENA WHITING.
- iii. MILLEY, b. 21 May 1816.
- iv. GEORGE W., b. 28 Jan. 1819.
- 128. v. LUTHER CLARK, b. 10 Oct. 1824; m. ALICE M. JEPHERSON.

56. JOHN⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 9 July 1793, died there, 4 Nov. 1866. He married, first, 15 Jan. 1818, BETHANY CUMMINGS, born at Douglas, 11 Oct. 1802, died, 30 Sept. 1827, and

secondly, at Oxford, 10 Apr. 1831, as her second husband, NANCY (—) EDDY, widow of Benjamin Eddy.

Children by first wife, born at Douglas:

- i. BETSEY⁶, b. 7 Jan. 1819; m. 17 Mar. 1841, MANSON BALCOM, (number 146, below)
- ii. HARRIET CRAGIN, b. 29 Apr. 1824; m. 31 Aug. 1854, CORNELIUS EMMONS, b. at Germantown, N. Y. in 1826, son of G. L. Emmons.
129. iii. CHARLES FRANCIS, b. 15 Apr. 1826; m. CATHERINE C. BALLOU

57. CLARK⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 12 Dec. 1799, died there, 27 Oct. 1824. He married, there, 8 May 1823, MIRANDA ROBBINS, born there, 21 Apr. 1806, died in Boston, 2 Dec. 1888.

Child, born at Douglas:

130. i. CHARLES AUGUSTUS⁶, b. 7 Sept. 1823; m. ANGELINA C. BARTON

58. JUDSON⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 15 Jan. 1805, died at Grafton, 31 Mar. 1863. He married, first, at Sutton, JERUSHA E. ELLIOT, born there, 9 Jan. 1808, died at Douglas, 22 Aug. 1847, and secondly, at Blackstone, 20 Aug. 1848, as her second husband, MARTHA (BOSS) YOUNG, born there, 6 Aug. 1814, died at West Millbury, 10 Jan. 1890.

Children by first wife, born at Douglas:

131. i. WILLARD⁶, b. 6 July 1829; m. MELISSA BOSS.
- ii. MARY ELIZA, b. 4 June 1832; m. at Grafton, 8 Jan. 1854, JOSHUA A. PIKE, b. at Westboro in 1832, son of Nahum and Jerusha Pike.
- iii. ISABELLA ISADORE, b. 30 Aug. 1835; d. 30 Dec. 1835.
132. iv. MARCUS D., b. 12 July 1837; m. SARAH E. PRENTICE.
- v. GILBERT EARL, b. 8 May 1841; d. unm. in Philadelphia, 6 July 1878.
- vi. ELIZABETH ELLEN, b. 26 Nov. 1845; d. at Hutchinson, Kan., 12 Apr. 1884.
133. vii. MADISON A., b. 9 Jan. 1847; m. REBECCA F. COOK.

59. WARREN⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 4 Apr. 1807, died in Worcester, 13 Jan. 1889. He married, first, at Douglas, 29 Oct. 1826, URANA STREETER, and secondly, at Northbridge, 30 Nov. 1831, as her second husband, LYDIA TRASK, born at Smithfield, R. I., 6 June 1804, died at Oxford, 17 Feb. 1862, daughter of Fred and Rachel (Comstock) Trask.

Children by first wife, born at Orange:

134. i. WARREN CLARK⁶, b. 31 Aug. 1827; m. AMANDA S. HILTON.

Children by second wife, born at Douglas:

- ii. LYDIA, b. in 1832; m. at Oxford, 10 Nov. 1852, LEONARDUS J. C. BULLOCK, b. at Taunton in 1824, son of James Bullock.
135. iii. JOHN DAVID, b. in 1834; m. LYDIA BAKER.
- iv. WILLIAM H., b. 11 Oct. 1840; d. unm. at Oxford, 27 Mar. 1862.
- v. HELEN M., b. in 1842; m. at Grafton, 8 Apr. 1867, RUFUS R. DANA, b. in 1832, son of William and Harriet Dana.
136. vi. EDWARD E., b. in 1837; m. (1) FRANCES E. SHEPARDSON; and (2) MARIETTA (STEERE) COGGSHALL; and (3) HATTIE R. (BRYANT) DAVENPORT.
- vii. JULIANNE CARPENTER, b. 20 Aug. 1844; m. at Oxford in July 1864, MARQUIS E. STEERE, b. at Palmer in 1844, son of John C. and Maria Steere.

60. EDWARD⁵ BALCOM (*John⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 5 Dec. 1811, died, 27 Sept 1852. He married, 1 Oct. 1836, SARAH ANN EMERSON, born, 18 Feb. 1817, died, 30 Apr. 1864.

Children, born at Douglas:

- i. MARIETTA⁶, b. 5 Feb. 1838; d. 3 Aug. 1839.
- ii. AUGUSTINE DELANO, b. 8 Mar. 1840; d. 8 Oct. 1846.
- iii. MARILLA CLEMENT, b. 25 May 1843; m. 15 Sept. 1863, JEREMIAH FISKE RUSSELL, b. at Temple, Me., 25 July

1843, d. 12 Oct. 1870, son of Joseph and Alice Russell.

iv. ELIZA JANE, b. 18 Aug. 1845; d. 13 Apr. 1848.

137. v. FRANKLIN CORNELIUS, b. 20 Aug. 1848; m. ELIZA L. MASON.

vi. MARY LOUISE, b. 6 May 1853; d. in 1855.

61. EBENEZER⁵ BALCOM (*David⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*), born at Douglas, 14 Apr. 1783, died, 14 Oct. 1836. He married, at Douglas, 13 Nov. 1804, MARY (POLLY) BENSON, born here, 9 Apr. 1785, died there, 3 Dec. 1847, daughter of Aaron and Lydia Benson.

Children, born at Douglas:

138. i. ALANSON⁶, b. 5 Aug. 1807; m. MARIA ———.

ii. EBENEZER, b. 18 Feb. 1810; d. unm. 14 Oct. 1836.

iii. SUSAN F., b. 1 Feb. 1812; d. 23 Aug. 1883; m. 10 May 1835, (*int*) GARDNER CHASE. (*no children*)

139. iv. ELIAS TAFT, b. 13 Mar. 1814; m. BETSEY DAVIS.

v. DAVID H., b. 25 July 1816; d. 6 Sept. 1839; m. at Oxford, 21 Feb. 1838, HANNAH R. DAVIS.

vi. MARY, b. 8 Aug. 1819; d. 15 June 1891; m. at Douglas, 16 June 1841, ROBERT TAFT.

140. vii. AARON BENSON, b. 16 Mar. 1823; m. OLIVE S. CHASE.

viii. JOEL CHAPIN, b. 1 Oct. 1826; d. in Providence, R. I., 22 Mar. m. (1) ———; and (2) at Providence, 22 Sept. 1837, SARAH LOUISE BLISS, b. at Springfield, Ill. in 1842, daughter of Ephriam and Sarah L. Bliss.

62. DAVID⁵ BALCOM (*David⁴, Samuel³, Joseph², Alexander¹*) born at Douglas, 20 Oct. 1789, died about 1839. He married, PRUDENCE WALLIS.

Children, born at Douglas:

i. FANNY JANE⁶, b. 7 June 1815; d. unm. 30 May 1887.

ii. ALFRED W., b. in Jan. 1823; d. at Foster, R. I., 16 Sept. 1900; m. ———.

iii. ANN, b. in 1825; d. 7 July 1843.

iv. DAVID, b. 29 Mar. 1834. By act of the Massachusetts legislature his name was changed to DAVID HOWARD BALCOM.

141. v. WILLARD W., b. 4 Mar. 1831; m. (1) BETSEY CURRIER

CLARK; and (2) FLORILLA BAYLIES FREEMAN.

142. vi. WELLINGTON, b. 27 Feb. 1833; m. (1) VESTER W. HODGKINS, and (2) ETHEL MARY BOWEN.

63. AMOS⁵ BALCOM (*Bezaliel*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Joseph*², *Alexander*¹), born at Douglas, 19 Feb. 1782, died there, 11 Sept. 1849. He married, first, at Douglas, 13 June 1807, REBECCA SMITH, born in 1779, died, 28 Mar. 1823, and secondly, at Douglas, 28 Dec. 1823, PHEBE ANN TURNER, who died, 13 Jan. 1885.

Children by first wife, born at Douglas:

- i. REUBEN⁶, b. 13 Feb. 1808.
- 143. ii. MENDRICH, b. 10 May 1810; m. CHARLOTTE BEAL.
- 144. iii. DUDLEY, b. 5 Nov. 1814; m. LUCY THAYER.
- iv. HARRIET, b. 3 Apr. 1817; m. 24 Nov. 1836, ABNER P. TAFT.
- v. REBECCA, b. 11 Jan. 1820; m. CALEB HILL.

Children by second wife, born at Douglas:

- vi. SALLY ANN, b. 17 Oct. 1824; b. 17 June 1905; m. 16 Oct. 1845, GIDEON MOWRY.
- 145. vii. JOHN T., b. 29 Apr. 1827; m. FANNY MORSE.
- viii. PHEBE JANE, b. 29 May 1832; m. ——— HAYNES
- ix. ELMIRA, b. 9 Nov. 1834; m. HENRY STEERE.
- x. SIBIL, b. 6 Feb. 1836; m. in July 1852, ALBERT Z. ANDREWS.
- xi. AMOS, b. 10 Sept. 1838.
- xii. DAVID, b. about 1839; d. unm. 23 Feb. 1863.

64. CAPT. PETER⁵ BALCOM (*Bezaliel*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Joseph*², *Alexander*¹), born at Douglas, 5 Mar. 1793, died there, 22 May 1832. He married, there, 11 Apr. 1819, PAULINA PARKER, born in 1800, died, 22 Feb. 1820, daughter of Prince and Olive Parker.

Child, born at Douglas:

- 146. i. MANSON P⁶, b. 9 Feb. 1820; m. BETSEY BALCOM.

65. MOSES⁵ BALCOM (*Bezaliel*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Joseph*², *Alexan-*

*der*¹), born at Douglas, 2 July 1796, died, 30 Aug. 1865. He married, there, 8 Apr. 1819, **DIADEMA WHITING**, born, 25 Aug. died at Webster, 4 May 1880.

Children, born at Douglas:

- 147. i. **EDWARD**⁶, b. 4 Feb. 1821; m. **ABBIE JANE BROWN**.
- ii. **VIANNA D.**, b. 31 Oct. 1823; m. ——— **ALDRICH**.
- iii. **CAROLINE**, b. 9 Jan. 1830; m. ——— **WHITNEY**.
- 148. iv. **PETER**, b. 13 Aug. 1832; m. **ELIZABETH ARNOLD HAWKINS**.
- v. **DEMIA ANN**, b. 13 July 1845; m. 13 Oct. 1867, **CHRISTOPHER C. ALLEN**, b. at S. Kingston, R. I. in 1847, son of Collins and Ruth Allen.

66. **ABRAHAM**⁵ **BALCOM** (*Elijah*⁴, *Elijah*³, *Joseph*², *Alexander*¹), born ———. He married, **ABIGAIL** ———.

Children:

- i. **LUTHER**⁶, b. at Norwalk, Conn., 1 Aug. 1794; d. at Brandon, Vt., 15 Oct. 1853.
- ii. **ABIGAIL**.
- iii. **FREELove**.
- 149. iv. **JOHNSON**, who m. **ORIZA AVERY**.
- v. **ALMIRA**, who m. A——. **DOUGLAS**.
- vi. **PHOEBE SOPHIA**, who m. at Cornwall, Vt., 17 May 1829, **LEVI J. HARVEY**.

67. **JOHN**⁵ **BALCOM** (*Elijah*⁴, *Elijah*³, *Joseph*², *Alexander*¹), born, 30 Sept. 1789, died at Rumney, N. H., 23 Aug. 1832. He married, at Rumney, N. H., 4 Nov. 1811, **MARY RAMSEY**, born in Jan. 1777, died at Rumney, N. H., 30 Dec. 1857.

Children:

- 150. i. **EDWARD W.**⁶, b. at New Holderness, N. H., 28 Aug. 1812; m. (1) **ELIZABETH R. STEVENS**; and (2) **DEBORAH B. THAYER**; and (3) **ADELAIDE M. (CARPENTER) NORRIS**.
- ii. **ABIGAIL S.**, b. 26 Apr. 1814; d. 21 June 1825.
- iii. **LUCY B.**, b. at Rumney, N. H., 21 Sept. 1816; m. 12 July 1848, **EDMUND STEVENS**, b. 10 July 1799, d. 23 July 1853.

- iv. MARY JANE, b. 6 Apr. 1820; m. 4 July 1841, WILLIAM C. AIKEN, b. about 119, d. 14 Nov. 1846.
- v. J——, who d. 25 June 1821.

(end of fifth generation)

JOHN BALCOMBE
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1. CAPT. JOHN¹ BALCOMBE, born, perhaps, on the Isle of Jersey, about 1697, died at Mansfield, Conn., 17 Sept. 1782. He married, first, at Lynn, Mass*, 27 July 1719, SARAH JACOBS, born there, 24 Mar. 1696, died at Mansfield, Conn., 26 Feb. 1741, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Lynzey) Jacobs; and secondly, at Salem, 20 Apr. 1745, HANNAH PROCTOR, who died, 8 Sept. 1753.

He was at Mansfield, Conn. as early as 1724.

On 28 July 1744 he purchased land located at Salem from Thomas Lesbird.

Children by first wife:

- i. SARAH², b. at Lynn, 27 Apr. 1720; m. at Windham, Conn., 29 Oct. 1741, NATHAN SIMONS.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. 5 July 1722; probably d. young.
2. iii. JOHN, b. at Mansfield, Conn., 7 Nov. 1724.
- iv. SUSANNAH, b. 1 Dec. 1726; d. 6 Apr. 1727.
3. v. JOSEPH, b. 24 Sept. 1728.
- vi. MARY, b. 18 Aug. 1730; m. at Middletown, Conn. JOSEPH CLARK, 3RD.
- vii. SARAH, (?) b. 5 July 1732.
4. viii. ELIAS, b. 4 Nov. 1733.
- ix. SUSANNAH, b. 2 Aug. 1736.
- x. FRANCIS, b. 3 Mar. 1738.

*Unless otherwise stated. places are in Massachusetts.

Children by second wife:

- xi. SAMUEL, b. 31 Aug. 1745.
- xii. ELIZABETH, who m. at Mansfield, Conn., 14 Jan. 1761, BENJAMIN JACOBS.

2. JOHN² BALCOM (*John*¹), born at Mansfield, Conn., 7 Nov. 1724, probably died at Winchester, Conn., 26 Oct. 1808. He married, 8 Nov. 1750, MARY GILLET, who died in 1797, daughter of Nathaniel Gillett of Salisbury, Conn.

He was a Grand Juror at Winchester, Conn. The Census of 1790 lists him with two males over sixteen, three males under sixteen, and six females at Litchfield, Conn.

Children, born at Mansfield, Conn:

- i. SUSANNA³, b. 25 Feb. 1752; d. in Aug. 1825; m. in 1777, MICHAEL GRINNELL, b. at Saybrook, Conn., 20 Mar. 1752, d. 13 Feb. 1858.
- 5. ii. NATHANIEL, b. 3 July 1754.
- 6. iii. JONATHAN, b. 9 Jan. 1757.
- 7. iv. JOHN, b. 6 Apr. 1759.
- v. IRENA, b. 10 July 1761.
- vi. MARY, b. 19 Jan. 1764; m. at East Haddam, Conn., 4 June 1787, NOADIAH BRAINARD GATES, of Barkhemstead, Conn.
- vii. KEZIAH, b. 29 June 1766.
- viii. RHODA, b. 9 Sept. 1768.
- ix. ESTHER, b. 31 Mar. 1772.

3. JOSEPH² BALCOM (*John*¹), born 24 Sept. 1728, died at Mansfield, Conn. about 1810. He married, 10 Jan. 1760, MARY KING, born at Mansfield, Conn., 16 Apr. 1739, died, there, 12 Oct. 1828, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Rose) King.

Children, born at Mansfield, Conn:

- 8. i. AZARIAH³, b. 22 Aug. 1760.

- ii. ELIZABETH, b. 14 Feb. 1732; m. 7 Feb. 1784, JOHN (ELIJAH) MARTIN.
 - 9.iii. URIAH, b. 3 July 1764.
 - 10.iv. ASAH, b. 31 July 1766.
 - 11.v. CONSTANT, b. 21 Aug. 1768.
 - vi. MARY, b. 22 Nov. 1771; m. ELIJAH MARTIN.
 - vii. SARAH, b. 29 May 1774; d. 21 Apr. 1864; m. 1 Jan. 1800, EBENEZER GURLEY, b. about 1777, d. 3 July 1864, son of Jacob and Hannah (Bigeiow) Gurley.
 - 12.viii. FRANCIS, b. 29 Nov. 1776.
 - ix. DANIEL, b. 13 Feb. 1779; m. at Haverhill, 29 Nov. 1804, SUSAN ORDWAY.
 - x. LUCINDA, b. 1 Jan. 1782; m. EBENEZER GURLEY.
4. ELIAS² BALCOM (*John*¹), born at Mansfield, Conn., 4 Oct. 1733. He married, at Mansfield, Conn., 7 Aug. 1754, PHOEBE FOSTER.

He was at Winchester, Conn. in 1774. In 1776 he owned a part interest in a mill located there.

Children:

- i. SARAH³, (*twin*) b. 3 Jan. 1756; m. at Winchester, Conn., 22 Sept. 1773, JOHN DARBE (DERBY?).
- ii. HANNAH, (*twin*) b. 3 Jan. 1756.
- iii. PHOEBE, b. 16 Mar. 1758; m. at New Hartford, Conn. in 1774, EZEKIEL MARKHAM.
- iv. ELIAS CABOT, b. 3 Nov. 1760; m. at Winchester, Conn., 30 Dec. 1782, MARY DICKENSON.
- v. RACHEL, b. 8 June 1762.
- vi. OLIVE, b. 18 Mar. 1766; m. at Winchester, Conn., 12 Nov. 1783, SAMUEL STANCLIFF.
- vii. ELIZABETH, b. 14 Mar. 1768; m. at Norfolk, Conn. in Oct. 1786, JOSHUA MOSES.
- viii. JACOB, b. at Winchester, Conn.
- ix. JOSEPH.

(*end of third generation*)

5. NATHANIEL³ BALCOM (*John*², *John*¹), a soldier in the

Revolution, born at Mansfield, Conn., 3 July 1754, died at Silver Lake, Penn. in 1834. He married, at Winchester, Conn., 2 Sept. 1782, LOUISE (BEALS?) McINTIRE.

He was in Capt. Sedgewick's company of Col. Hinman's regiment at Ticonderoga in 1775.

He moved to Wayne County, Pennsylvania about 1813.

Children, born at Winchester, Conn:

13.i. FRANCIS⁴.

ii. NATHAN, b. 9 May 1787; adm. freeman in 1802 at Winchester

14.iii. JONATHAN, b. 18 Aug. 1791; m. CLARISSA ———.

15.iv. SILAS, b. in 1795; m. CLARISSA WEBSTER.

6. JONATHAN³ BALCOM (*John*², *John*¹) a soldier in the Revolution, born at Mansfield, Conn., 9 Jan. 1757, died at Norwalk, Conn., 5 Sept. 1790. He married, at Sharon, Conn., 8 Apr. 1779, NAOMI DICKERSON, born in Aug. 1757, died at Thompson, Conn., 7 Apr. 1850.

He was in Capt. John Hill's company in 1778.

Children, born at Winchester, Conn:

16.i. JOHN⁴, b. about 1779; m. MARY BIXBY.

ii. NATHANIEL, b. about 1780.

iii. KEZIAH, b. about 1782; d. unkm. 14 Aug. 1822.

iv. MARY, b. about 1784; m. ——— GATES.

v. RHODA, b. about 1786; m. SOLOMON DAVIS, b. in Vermont, 17 Mar. 1792, d. 16 July 1791.

vi. IRENE, b. about 1788; m. SETH GOODRICH.

vii. ESTHER, b. about 1790; d. unkm.

viii. SUSANNA, who m. ——— GRINNELL.

7. JOHN³ BALCOM (*John*², *John*¹), a soldier in the Revolution, born at Mansfield, Conn., 6 Apr. 1757. He married, at Winchester, Conn., 1 Jan. 1783, LOIS HUDSON.

He served in Capt. Alden's company of Col. Batlee's regiment in 1780, and also in Capt John Hill's com-

pany in 1778.

He settled at Winchester, Conn. in 1771 and at Sidney, Delaware County, N. Y. about 1810.

Children:

- i. ZILPHA⁴, b. 17 Oct. 1783.
- ii. LOIS, b. 22 May 1785; m. (1) 1 Jan. 1810, EDWARD HUGHES, b. 20 Jan. 1790, d. at Sidney. N. Y., 10 Nov. 1863; (*divorced*); and m. (2) at Meredith, N. H. in Oct. 1741, ALBERT BALCH, b. in 1804, d. in Feb. 1884, son of Abner and Lydia P. (Alden) Balch.
- 17. iii. EBENEZER.
- iv. ELIZABETH, bpt. 1 Sept. 1790.
- v. UNA VILDA, bpt. 1 Sept. 1790.

8. AZARIAH³ BALCOM (*Joseph², John¹*), born at Mansfield, Conn., 22 Aug. 1760. He married, first, 15 Nov. 1781, DEBORAH HUNTINGTON, born about 1763, died, 1 Feb. 1814; and secondly, at Mansfield, Conn., 19 Oct. 1814, as her second husband, LYDIA (ELDERKIN) FITCH, daughter of Joshua Booth Elderkin.

Children by first wife:

- 18. i. ALPHEUS⁴, b. 10 May 1784.
- 19. ii. SOCRATES, b. 11 Jan. 1786; m. ANNA BRIGHAM.
- iii. MARTIN, b. 5 Apr. 1788; m. (1) DIANTHA JACOBS; and (2) SUSAN FIELD; and (3) ———.
- iv. LUCIUS, b. 14 Jan. 1790.
- v. OWEN *or* ORRIN, b. 24 Nov. 1792; d. 2 Jan. 1798.
- vi. ARTEMESIA, b. 10 Jan. 1794; m. CHESTER DAVISON.
- vii. MARIA, b. 11 May 1797; d. 26 Feb. 1814.
- viii. LORA PHOEBE, b. 27 Feb. 1799.
- ix. JOHN ADAMS, b. 23 May 1801; d. at Windham, Conn., 24 Feb. 1816 (20?).
- 20. x. SHERMAN, b. 12 Dec. 1805; m. (1) ELIZABETH MAXFIELD; and m. (2) LOUISA ALMY.

9. URIAH³ BALCOM (*Joseph², John¹*), born at Mansfield, Conn., 3 July 1764, died, 6 Oct. 1840 (48?). He mar-

ried, LUCY WEBSTER, born in 1769, died in 1841.

Children:

- i. ELIZABETH⁴, who m. A. GILBERT.
- 21.ii. ELIHU, b. 27 Dec. 1796; m. ALMIRA GATES.
- iii. PAMELIA, b. 18 May 1798; m. ANDREW SILL.
- 22.iv. ELI, b. 3 Feb. 1800; m. LYDIA ROBINSON.
- v. ALMIRA, b. 2 Nov. 1801.
- vi. ISABELLA, b. 20 June 1803; m. HIRAM GATES.
- 23.vii. WEBSTER, b. 4 May 1805; m. LUCY CHURCH.
- 24.viii. LYMAN, b. at Burlington, N. Y., 29 Apr. 1807; m. JANE KEWLEY.
- ix. LUCINDA, b. 17 Apr. 1809; m. LEVI THOMPSON.
- x. MARCIA, b. 3 Dec. 1811; d. 12 Feb. 1837.
- xi. LUCIA, b. 23 June 1814; m. 13 Oct. 1842, NATHANIEL SMITH.

10. ASAHEL³ BALCOM (*Joseph², John¹*), born at Mansfield, Conn., 31 July 1766, died at Kendall, N. Y., 9 Jan. 1839. He married, 10 Jan. 1788, ASENATH MARTIN, born 11 Nov. 1769, died, 10 Sept. 1848, daughter of Robert and Lydia Martin.

Children:

- i. GURDAN⁴, b. at Burlington, N. Y., 10 Jan. 1791; d. 3 Apr. 1845; m. LAURANA ———.
- ii. LUCINDA, b. 3 Feb. 1793; d. 4 Feb. 1847; m. ASA ROSS.
- 25.iii. GEORGE, b. 27 July 1795; m. WEALTHY WHITNEY.
- 26.iv. LEANDER, b. at Richfield, N. Y., 21 May 1798; m. NANCY CLARK.
- 27.v. DANIEL, b. 14 Dec. 1802; m. LUCINDA CLARK.
- 28.vi. VINE, b. at Eastown, N. Y., 23 Aug. 1805; (1) as her second husband, MARIA (MUNN) MERRILL; and m. (2) ELIZA ———.
- vii. LAURA, b. at Gorham, N. Y., 2 Dec. 1807; d. 9 Oct. 1890; m. 28 Dec. 1827, HIRAM O. NORTHROP, b. at Ridgefield, Conn., 20 July 1804, d. at Reading, Mich., 11 Mar. 1868.
- viii. ELIJAH M., b. 17 Sept. 1810; d. 31 Aug. 1812.

11. CONSTANT³ BALCOM (*Joseph², John¹*), born at Mans-

field, Conn., 21 Aug. 1768, died, 2 Dec. 1848. He married, at Mansfield, Conn., 28 Feb. 1790, ANNA CRAINE, born there, 20 Dec. 1766, died at Hopewell, N. Y., 11 Nov. 1852, daughter of Hezekiah Craine.

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- 29.i. HORACE⁴, b. at Litchfield, Conn., 26 May 1791; m. SALLY LYON.
- ii. ANNA, b. at Richfield, N. Y., 3 June 1794; d. 19 Nov. 1870; m. 3 Feb. 1814, STEPHEN MARTIN, b. 20 Jan. 1788, d. 19 June 1855.
- 30.iii. ABNER, b. 13 Sept. 1795; m. (1) RUTH WILLIAMS; and (2) PHILOTHETA BAKER; and (3) PHILENA WARING.
- 31.iv. CHESTER, b. 18 Sept. 1798; m. ADA PENN.
- 32.v. EPENETAS, b. at Gorham, N. Y., 16 Sept. 1805; m. ELEANOR L. McMILLAN.
- vi. SERVIAH, b. 16 Sept. 1808; d. 10 May 1881; m. JOHN LAMBERTON. (*no children*)
- vii. JULIA ANN, b. at Gorham, N. Y., 30 Nov. 1810; d. 1 July 1858; m. at Mansfield, Conn., 8 Feb. 1830, CHARLES GLEASON (?).

12. FRANCIS³ BALCOM (*Joseph², John¹*), born at Mansfield, Conn., 29 Nov. 1776, died there, 2 May 1826. He married, there, 4 Mar. 1804, EUNICE LATHROP, born, 10 Sept. 1776, daughter of Elias and Hannah (Gurdan) Lathrop.

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- 33.i. BENJAMIN GORTON⁴, b. 6 Jan. 1805; m. as her second husband, MARIA L. (SMITH) WHITE.
- ii. JULIA, b. 2 Feb. 1806.
- iii. BRIGHAM.
- iv. CONSTANT, b. about 1810.
- v. FRANCES, b. about 1811.
- vi. LOIS S.
- vii. FRANCIS, b. about 1819; d. 14 Aug. 1825.
- viii. MARY, who m. at Grafton, N. H., 9 Feb. 1840, HORACE PRESCOTT.

- ix. MARIA E., who m. (1) in 1874, SILAS STEVENS; and (2)
in 1888, JAMES TALBERT, son of Elmer F. Talbert.
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The Vital Records of Tewksbury, Massachusetts record deaths there of the following persons bearing the name of BALCOM which to date the compiler of the family records has been unable to place, but from the data he feels belong among one of the lines in the preceeding sections of this book.

Several possible solutions suggest themselves as to the places where these bearers of the name were connected, but proof and not conjecture is required, hence their listing under this heading. Further information and data will be welcomed by the compiler.

JONATHAN, who died, 7 Feb. 1736, "in his 68th year."

MARY, wife of Jonathan, who died, 11 Oct. 1727, "aged 52 years."

JOSIAH, who died, 29 Sept. 1758.

JOSHUA, Capt. who died, 15 Feb. 1817, "old age," aged 81 years.

SARAH, wife of Capt. Joshua, died, 16 Oct. 1816, aged 78 years.

OLIVER, who died at Serg. Worster's, 4 June 1785.

JESSE, who died at Joh (n) French's 23 July 1787.

DAVIS, "late of Windham" died 7 Apr. 1834, aged 65.

HANNAH, wife of Davis, who died, 6 Jan. 1815, aged 58.

VITA

FRANK WIPPICH⁹ BALCOMB, compiler of this and other records of the BALCOMBE family was born at Salem, Massachusetts, 15 June 1902, the son of Frank Leslie and Elizabeth Ann (Wippich) Balcomb.

His line of descent from HENRY¹ BALCOMBE is as follows: JOSEPH,² JOSEPH,³ SILAS,⁴ JOHN,⁵ JAMES,⁶ EDMUND PHELAN,⁷ who married, LOUISA A. MUNRO, and FRANK LESLIE,⁸ his father.

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He is a member of the Society of Colonial Wars and the Sons of the American Revolution. He is also a member of the New England Historic Genealogical Society and of the Essex Institute of Salem.

